



PEEK AN' REVIEW









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PEKIN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

PACKWOOD, IOWA

VOLUME VI



FOREWORD

The publishing of a yearbook can be one of the most important and far reaching projects that any school can undertake. It is impossible to calculate the influence such an effort can exert in future years. The memories that these pictures will recall for those who subscribe can be pleasant experiences if the job has been well done. It is, therefore, with a sense of heavy responsibility that this project has been undertaken and it is the earnest hope of the staff that they have faithfully completed their task. Very little space has been given to humor or levity since it is felt that factual statements and candid photography will best serve the purposes for which this book is issued. A sincere effort has been made to arrange, in one volume, pictures of all of those who have been enrolled, employed, or otherwise closely associated with our school, together with factual data which will truthfully record the faces and events of the school year 1966-1967.

This is the sixth volume of this publication. All of the others have been very well received and the many complimentary remarks we have heard leads us to feel that those who are interested in this school district want it continued. For some time during the past year it appeared as though the publication would have to be discontinued. When it was finally decided that another effort should be made it was so late that the staff was working under a decided handicap. However, the response from our advertisers and subscribers has been so generous and understanding that we only hope our ability to arrange the content of the book will be worthy of their support. We do feel that the number of pictures we have been able to collect will make an adequate record and we are most pleased to be able to provide it at no advance in cost to our subscribers. We know that many other publications which are less than half this size command at least twice our subscription price. We are most pleased to be able to provide this service and believe it can be accomplished only when there is the wholehearted cooperation and support that we have been privileged to have. It is our sincere desire that our efforts will meet with your approval.





ADMINISTRATION

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. C. E. Tharp has just completed his fifth year as Superintendent of our school district. The acceptance of his efforts is indicated by the fact that he has been tendered another and better contract for a three year term. Improvements in plant facilities continue to be added and some are pictured on these pages. Also expanded curricular offerings and increased faculty numbers can be noted by those who read carefully. The extremely low student drop-out rate and the few replacements necessary for staff members each year bear testimony to the efficiency of his administration. His service as chief executive officer for the Board of Education has been given their unanimous approval.



MESSAGE FROM OUR SUPERINTENDENT

We have an excellent high school physical plant and it is exceptionally well equipped. Take pride in your school so that you may become better citizens and we a better school.

The immediate need in the Pekin Community School System at the present is for a centrally located Junior High. Future plans call for such a Junior High Building immediately north of the present high school. At the present, we have few specialists in our Junior High. Home room teachers are expected to handle everything. When we get this centrally located Junior High, Pekin will have an educational system second to none in this area.

School is a place of development. Every student should work hard and make the most of opportunities of modern education. These opportunities are many and a student will be prepared physically, morally, mentally and spiritually if he will take advantage of them.



BOARD OF EDUCATION



L. to R. C. E. Tharp, Supt.; Willis Mitchell, Packwood Area, Term expires 1968; Jack Schriener, Director at Large, Term expires 1969; Clay Campbell, Farson Area, Term expires 1967; Minor Ellis, Director at Large, Term expires 1967; Gilbert Dickenson, Richland Area, Term expires 1969; Dale Ingle, Ollie Area, Term expires 1968; and Glenn Braden, President, Martinsburg Area, Term expires 1967.

At no level of our government do the democratic processes of our nation work more effectively than in our public school districts. The selection of a School Board is a real grass roots procedure. Areas are so small that most candidates are well known to their constituents and they are elected on the basis of the respect their neighbors have for their integrity and good judgement. Probably no public body is more readily available to those they represent and they are, therefore, more responsive to the will of the majority as best they are able to determine it. Since they do not receive any compensation for their services they must be people with a desire and willingness to sacrifice to serve the community.

Pekin operates under a seven member Board. Five are selected from Director Districts and two are elected at large. They are pictured above and the areas they represent and length of their terms are indicated. The appreciation of the patrons of the District for their difficult and often thankless task is shown by the loyal support so many have given during the past year.

SCHOOL BOARD SECRETARY

Since School Board members have other businesses that necessarily must claim a lot of their attention they rely quite heavily upon their Secretary to handle details and keep records. There are so many areas in which the modern school has interests that this has become a most exacting and responsible position. The record keeping required by State laws and Department of Public Instruction regulations is enormous and an efficient Secretary must be informed on everything from personnel arrangements to State and Federal Tax regulations, from pupil census data to insurance contracts and from physical property inventories to transportation and school lunch requirements. They are expected to have at their fingertips the answers to any questions regarding any phase of the schools operation.

Mrs. Edith Fink has served the Pekin Board as their secretary for the past four years. Her job must be ranked as one of the most important in the District in the extent to which it determines the smooth operation of the Boards business.



WHAT DO ADMINISTRATORS DO?



They introduce Commencement speakers.



They announce honors and awards.



They pose for photographers



They help each other with major problems



They smile in spite of their problems.



They turn their back on the world so they can get some work done.

LIBRARY



FACULTY

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

John H. King

Mr. King has served as Principal of Pekin High School since this central building was first used in the fall of 1961. He has just finished forty years as a teacher and administrator and has signed a contract to serve again next year.



Classes for the year 1966-67 have ceased and the scholastic records have been filed for future reference. So have the records compiled in Music, Speech and Athletics. Trophies and other awards will be displayed to commemorate the events. However, the record that will be most meaningful in future years and the one that will be referred to most often is the one contained between the covers of this book. Actual photographs of the scenes and faces that were prominent here at Pekin during the past year will revive many memories as these pages are referred to frequently in the future. The staff has been aware of their responsibility to make this record as complete and accurate as possible. Their endeavors to finance this project have been noteworthy and the cooperation of the many advertisers and subscribers is deeply appreciated. It is only through this type of teamwork that this publication can be maintained at a standard that will insure its serving its purpose—that of providing a concise and complete record of the school year just ending.

John H. King

FACULTY ACTIVITIES



Afarewell Tea was held for Mr. Maher



We enjoyed the cruise on the T. M. SAWYER with the families and
SOCIETY



He has presented with an attaché case



We helped students and students helped us



The annual faculty tea served by the F T A

THE EFFECTIVENESS OF A . . .

MR. WILLIAM ANDERSON
World History
American History
Sophomore Class Sponsor
Head Coach Girls' Basketball
Head Coach Girls' Softball
Sponsor Girls' Letter Club
Head Coach Girls' Track



MRS. LOUISE BACA
Vocational Homemaking
Sponsor, F H A



My girls had a LOUSY SEASON
They lost a game

Girls are easy to teach
boys are a challenge



MR. HARRY BETHARDS
Instrumental Music
Drill Team
Sponsor of Lyre Club



MRS. LEREA BLOOMFIELD
Typing I and II
Bookkeeping
Business Club Sponsor

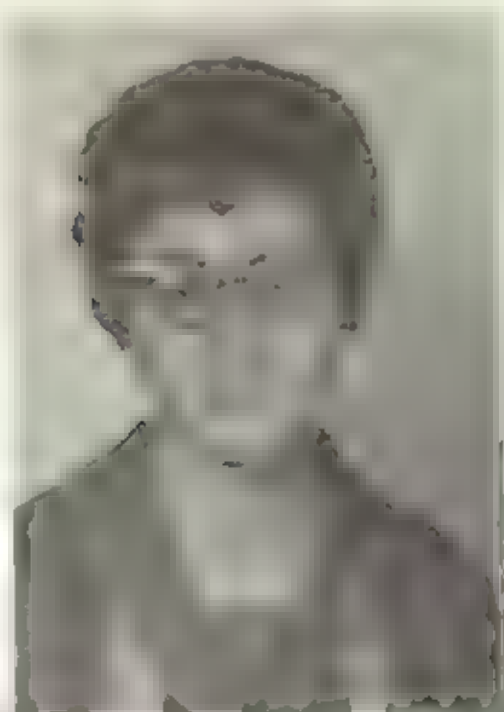


We instrumentalists will
never let those vocalists
surpass us

"Those Newspaper articles were
due in last Thursday



SCHOOL DEPENDS LARGELY . . .



MRS. JEANETTE BOWER
 Shorthand I and II
 American History
 Consumers Math
 Co-Sponsor, Sophomore Class
 Year Book Sponsor



MISS THELMA CARDEN
 English III and IV
 French I and II



She drove many miles a day—just
 for the pleasure of our company



The fact that I came to school in
 a wheel chair has nothing to do with
 my age

MR. DAVIS EIDAHIL
 General Science
 Biology
 World Geography
 Head Coach Boys Basketball
 Head Coach Boys Track
 Assistant Coach Girls Basketball
 Cross Country



MR. GLENN FOSTER
 Chemistry
 Physics
 Laboratory Science
 Sponsor of Science Club



With the appearance of an "Angel"
 his defense for male superiority
 has weakened

It's a little off the subject, but



UPON THE QUALITY OF . . .

MRS NETTE GUSTAVESON
General Math
Biology
Geometry
Sponsor, National Honor Society
Co-Sponsor of Senior Class



MR WILLIAM HAMMOCK
Drivers Training
Physical Education
Junior Varsity Girls' Basketball
Assistant Football Coach
Assistant Wrestling Coach
Assistant Track Coach



"Do it this way, Bud, or you'll be in
a sea of trouble!"

With a name like that, he should be a
"swinger!"



MR ANTON KASTBERG
Speech
English I and III
Class Plays
Assistant Track Coach
Junior Varsity Football



MRS MILDRED KING
Librarian
Co-Sponsor of Junior Class



A non-conformist is —, oh well!
I just like to be different!"

I have the best student librarians
now where'd they go?"



THE TEACHERS THAT . . .

MR. BATT MAHER
Guidance Counselor
Senior Class Sponsor
Sponsor of Student Council



MR. CURTIS MORLAN
Algebra I and II
Trigonometry
Sponsor Math Club
Concessions



He now "shoves off"
for other ports. Bon
Voyage Commander

I wasn't always late
for faculty meetings.
I missed some en-
tirely.



MR. KENNETH REDMANN
Vocational Agriculture
Sponsor, F F A
Adult Farmer Classes
Young Farmer Classes



MR. KENNETH REED
Driver Training
Shop I and II
Transportation Supervisor
Co-Sponsor of Junior Class



"The faculty lounge is a welcome
haven for more than one reason

He could give the faculty a vaca-
tion by calling a bus driver strike."



COMPRISE ITS FACULTY.

MR JERRY STATON
Physical Education
American Government
Head Coach Football
Head Coach Wrestling
Assistant Coach Track



MR JAMES HAWTREY
Art



I really, really like Mr
Staton True or False

Mr Hawtreay

His name should have been "Art"
he pursues it relentlessly



MRS SHARYL WOOLLIAMS
Vocal Music
Sponsor, Cheerleaders
Sponsor, Pep Club
Chaperone Girls Basketball



MRS VIRGINIA SMALL
English II
Latin I
Newspaper Sponsor
Sponsor of P.T.A.



Now Mr. Bethards, there's more to
music than playing an instrument!!!

Now People think a little'



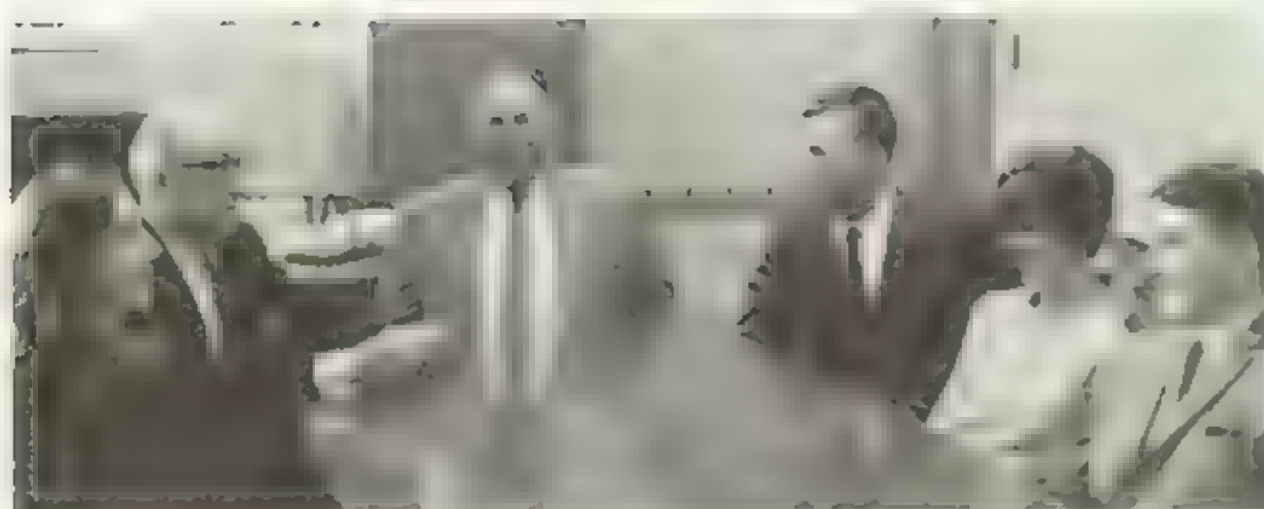
PART TIME AND PRACTICE TEACHERS



MRS DORIS CHUTE
Remedial Reading



MR KEITH SASSEEN
Economics
Assistant Coach Basketball Boys
Assistant Coach Football
Coach Boys Junior Varsity Basketball



This spring, for the first time, Pekin co-operated with a teacher training program. Four students from Parsons College were assigned to us for eight weeks. We found they had a distinct contribution to make and we enjoyed their stay with us



MRS PEGGY REYNOLDS

MR JOHN BECKER

MISS SUSAN LIDDIL

MR FRANK NEWMAN



FACULTY MEMBERS ENGAGE . . .



They sponsor, help plan and sometimes conduct assemblies. (Mrs. Gustaveson speaks during the assembly sponsored by the National Honor Society.)



They serve at the punch table during parties. (Mrs. Bloomfield on duty at the April Fools Dance sponsored by the newspaper staff.)



They do as the Romans do. Mr. Fritsch dresses appropriately for the Roman banquet sponsored by the Latin classes.)



They listen to banquet speakers. (Mr. Tharp and Mr. King listen to Mr. Schappert, featured speaker at the Ad Sports banquet.)



They wait and worry. (Mr. Anderson waits for the girls to dress while Mr. Bethards wonders if enough musicians will show up to make a pep band.)



They attend teas in their honor. (Mr. Newman, a student teacher, follows Mrs. Gustaveson away from the tea table at an afternoon event for the faculty by the FTA.)

IN MANY ACTIVITIES



They wonder how things are going. (Mr. Kastburg follows the efforts of some young Thespians during a class play.)



They work alone—(the custodians have removed nearly all of the furniture before summer cleaning but Mrs. Bower strives on to complete work on the yearbook.)



They supervise athletic events. (Mr. Eidahl lectures from the shower stall door following a cross country meet.)



They sometimes get tired. (Mr. Eidahl shows the effect of driving the bus to the Junior-Senior Prom—it couldn't be Terry's singing.)



They sell tickets. Mrs. Gustafson checks up following the senior play.)



They have fun. (Faculty clique at the Junior-Senior Banquet.)



GRADUATES

WITHIN OURSELVES
IS

TRUTH OR DEATH



THE CLASS OF 1967

VICKI ABBOTT
"Vick"

Her queenly qualities were soon recognized

DAVID ADAM
"Dave"

L. B. J. has nothing on me—I'm a president, too



JOY ADAM
"Joy"

She is a real JOY to have around

REBECCA ADAM
"Becky"

Life at school for me has been just read, read, and — REED

ROBERT ADAM
"Bob"

I like my girls SMALL

STEVEN ALLEN
"Roy"

"Oh! I always work on the assumption that all pretty girls are looking for me."



GOES FORTH FROM



LINDA ANDEWAY
"Andy"

AND-E-WAY we go!!



BEVERLY BLAINE
"Bev"

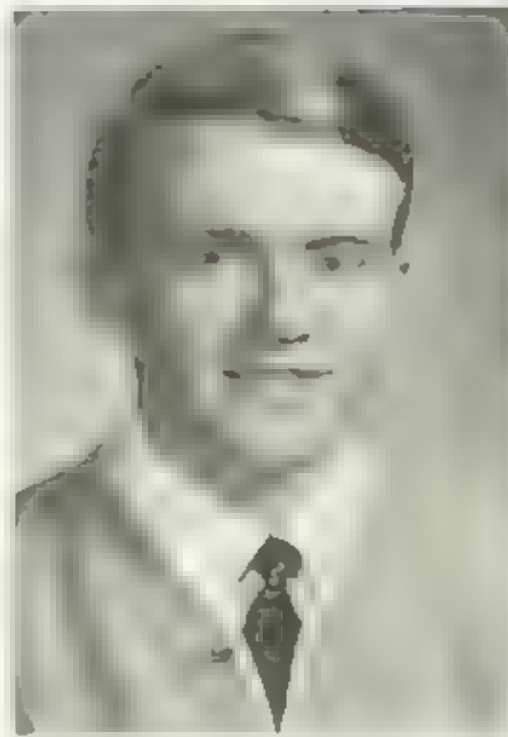
Sweet and friendly in a quiet way

DAVID BOTTORFF
"Beaver"

"It's a dirty, rotten deal!!"

MARGARET CAIN
"Maggie"

My job of class treasurer was an easy one — NO MONEY!!



CRAIG CAPPS
"Craps"

ILA just turn around and ILA bet ILA will be near



RONALD CARRIS
"Ron"

Why should I raise watermelons when my neighbors do?

THESE HALLS TO

MARGARET CAVINESS
"Marty"

I prefer Sigourney to Linby because
there are more boys there

JEANINE CHACEY
"Chassie"

I may be Republican, but I'm still for
JOHNSTON



SHIRLEY CHALUPA
"Shirtails"

I intend to keep my house neater than
I kept my locker

ROBERT CRAWFORD
"Bob"

The smart die young. I'm looking for-
ward to a long life

LINDA CURTIS
"Queeny"

Diane thought it was tough being
"Queen of the Pancakes". How would
she have liked being "Queen of the
Pigs"?

MARK CURTIS
"Harold"

Try to argue if you can, I can beat
most any man



BECOME ALUMNI



GARY DERBY
"Derb"

A horticulturalist who specializes in STANSBERRYs



PATRICIA DERBY
"Pat"

Twiggy cashed in on an idea I've had for years

JEAN DOWNEY
"Jeannie"

I liked school so much, I didn't miss a day . . . for 13 years

DAVID DUMONT
"Speedy"

Took his date to a picnic lunch every noon



ANNE FINK
"Annie"

If being called a FINK compares you with her . . . you've been complimented!!



KATHRYN GEORGE
"Kathy"

They call me Kathy because my heart is in CATHAY

IN A WORLD

WAYNE GOULD

Susie

Me Tarzan — You Jane"

ELIZABETH GRANAMAN

"Betty"

The shy, quiet, demure type — Oh yeah!!



TOM JACOBS

'Jake'

Why eat jawbreakers when you can throw them in study hall

JERRY LANKFORD

Lanky"

Quite . . . until you get to know him

BETTY LETTS

'Betty Boop'

I take all the Home Ec. I can . . . it fits in with my plans

DAVID McVAY

'Mac'

Where David leads me, I will follow



WHERE THEY WILL



MARION MIEDREICH
"Marion"

Her stay with us was both pleasant and inspiring



GORDON MITCHELL
"Gordie"

He is proof that an athlete can also be a gentleman

MARTHA NEECE
"Marfy"

Her name should have been spelled nice . . . the better to describe her

DANNY NORRIS
"Boone"

The Hedrick girls call me "Handsome" — are the Pekin girls blind?



SHEILA NORTHCUT
"Southcut"

Unlike most, I know what the future holds for me



GENE REED
"Smokey"

I worked hard to get my nickname

DEMONSTRATE THE

THOMAS REED

"Tom"

Tom, Tom, Gene Reed's son, saw
Becky and away he run . . . after her

REX REINIER

"Kek"

A woman's hair is her crowning
glory — how about mine



BRENT REYNOLDS

Buck

Mary, Mary, quite contrary . . . she
sure was

DANIEL ROGERS

"Danny"

We agree with the faculty's estimate
of his citizenship

EDDIE SCHARFF

"Floyd"

We didn't know until now that "Floyd"
was his real name

CHERYL SCHREINER

"Shrine"

Combine the rugged qualities of an
athlete, the dignity of royalty, and the
intellect of a scholar with the usual
charms of a female, and you have
Cheryl



REALITY OF THEIR



LOUISE SEIWERT
"Seaweed"

I'm not scared of all boys . . . just some of them



LINDA SHEETS
"Linnie"

Her cheerful laughter will be missed in Pekin's halls and classrooms

STEVE SIEREN
"Bogan"

Owner and operator of one of the widest smiles in school

KATHY SIEVERS
"Toot"

Talk a lot and worry less; that's my idea of happiness



MARY SMALL

I could have graduated in three years, but look what I would have missed!



NANCY SMITH

"I'd rather fight than switch."

CLASS MOTTO . . .

LARRY SOBASKI
'Bowser'

I got caught in the McBeth speed trap

JANE SPANIER
'Jane'

No, Wayne, me Jane, you Tarzan



GLENDA SPRAY
Glennie

She has a unique way of increasing her height

MARSHALENE STAGERS
'Marsha'

Good things come in small packages

RONALD STANLEY
'Ron'

A bus driver's skill might come in handy someday One has to make a living, you know

CONNIE STANSBERRY

The admiring glances cast towards the librarian's desk were not all directed to Mrs. King's attractive bulletin boards



"WITHIN OURSELVES IS



BARBARA STEIN
"Barb"

Walking is good exercise, that's why
I'm always in the halls



STEVE STEINBECK
"Stein"

A quiet man — but quite a man

SALLY TAYLOR
"Sal"

North Mahaska's loss was Pekin's gain

SANDY TULEY
"Bulb"

Short, cute, and sweet as candy. Every-
one in school likes Sandy



MARILYN WEBER

Genius is one per cent inspiration and
ninety-nine per cent perspiration



CHARLES WILLIAMS
"Charlie"

The glasses are only a cover-up; I'm
really Superman



TRIUMPH OR DEFEAT."

SUSAN WILLIAMS
"Willie"

This about Roger I'd like to know
Willie" stay or "Willie" go?

DENNIS WONDERLICH
"Chunks"

"Honest, I've NEVER kissed a girl
in my life."



DENNIS WOOLIAMS
"Woody"

My Hair also influenced my nickname

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



L. to R. Steve Steinbeck, President, David Bottorff, Vice President, Gordon Mitchell, Student Council Representative, Becky Adam, Secretary, Margaret Cain, Treasurer

IN MEMORIAM



JIM SILVERS

Our class was deeply shocked and saddened to learn of the accidental drowning of JIM SILVERS in a farm pond during the summer of 1966. Jim's easy, carefree manner had made him many warm friends in our class and student body. His passing left a distinct void in our ranks and we take this means of perpetuating our memory of him.

OUR COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES . . .



Mary Ann Weber, Anne Fink, Glenda Spray, and Beverly Blaine are dressed and merely await the starting signal.



Lead ushers, Judy Adrian and John Covert start the procession.



Others complete final preparations as



Faces become more serious as the procession proceeds down the hall.

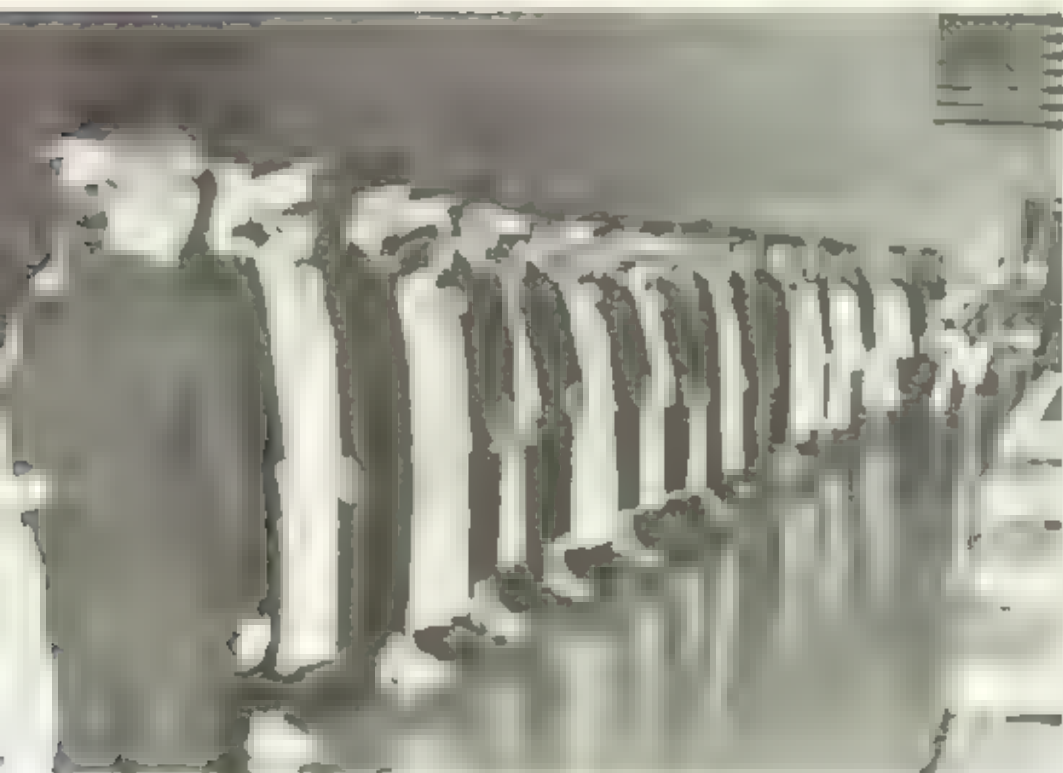


The library presents a scene of confusion.



Ushers, Mary Beth Adam and Bruce Dickens provide the rear guard.

WERE CONDUCTED ON . . .



The graduates take their places and are



Martin Miedt (former exchange student) says "Thank you P.K.N. and F.V.G. W.F.L."



seated before a crowd that fills the gymnasium.



Mark Curtis singing the Pilgrims Song



Even the bleachers are filled to overflowing



Bob's (Adam) trumpet solo echoed for the last time

THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1967



Left: Mr. King at the podium



Three students in the line



Mr. King at the podium



Students in the line



Mr. King presented the ten students who ranked highest in school



Students in the line



UNDERGRADUATES

THE CLASS OF 1968



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS-President, George Blaine, Vice President Bruce Dickens, Treasurer, Carol Brown, Student Council Representative, Debbie Conkan, and Secretary Kortnev Steinbeck



Kathy
Adam



Mary
Adam



Sharon
Adam



Judy
Adrian



Dwight
Best



George
Blaine



Cynthia
Baumgartner



Marlene
Bond



Carol
Brown



Barbara
Buttery



Myrna
Caviness



Naomi
Chalupa



Doug
Chambers



Larry
Clark

WILL ASSUME THE



Arlys
Cochran



John
Collett



Debbie
Conklin



Gregory
Curtis



Diana
Davis



Bruce
Dickens



Daniel
Dickey



Debbie
Gott



Glen
Gott



Sharon
Hackerl



Susan
Hadley



Kathy
Harbison



Korwin
Hinshaw



Colleen
Huffman



Virginia
Huffman



Jim
Ingle



Phil
Johnson



Robert
Kleinschmidt



Jim
Krier



Faye
Letts

ROLES OF LEADERSHIP



Charles
Lewis



David
Lowenberg



Kathleen
Lowenberg



Janet
McBeth



Mary
Marshall



Charles
Westchulte



Mary
Mitchell



Steven
Mitchell



Donald
Muenzenmeyer



Donna
Muenzenmeyer



Nancy
Meyers



Larry
Noff



Patricia
Nichols



Gerry
Northup



Kenneth
Paxton



Mariam
Quick



Carol
Reinier



Ronald
Reinier



Pam
Reynolds



Lenna
Richardson

LEFT BY THE



Donna
Sasseen



Marjorie
Showman



Ronnie
Shv



Debbie
Sieren



Linda
Sobaski



Bryan
Spanier



Richard
Stein



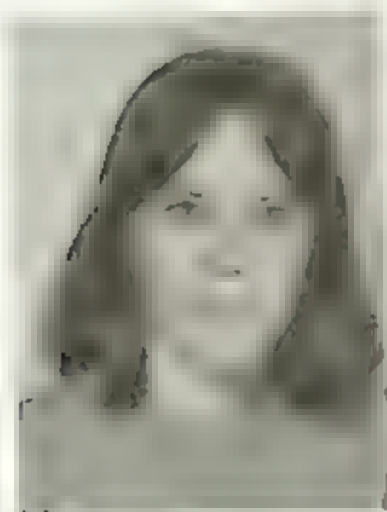
Kortney
Steinbeck



Peggy
Stenjel



Kathy
Tucker



Linda
Tuley



Annette
Van Dyke



Mary
Vittetoe



Stanley
Vogel



Elaine
Wiggins



Rodney
Williams



Chris
Wonderlich



Donnie
Wonderlich



Lucinda
Wonderlich



Esther
Yahn

DEPARTING GRADUATES.



Rex Yoakam



Danny Zeal

THE NIGHT OF JANUARY 16th

The following scenes will recall for the Juniors and anyone else who saw it, the staging of their class play. A jury selected from the audience was supposed to decide the fate of the accused with evidence pointing to both guilt and innocence. It was not difficult, however, for anyone who attended to determine that a great deal of comedy was interspersed with many highly dramatic scenes



The accused (Linda Tuley) and the defense council (George Blaine) and the secretary (Mary Marshall) intently watch the proceedings



One of the witnesses (Phil Johnson) is day-sworn in



10 These two females staged such a realistic fight, we don't blame George for not interfering'



It takes a 'character' to play a character (role) — these three were well picked



Prosecutor Dave Lowenberg grills a reluctant witness (Dan Dickey before



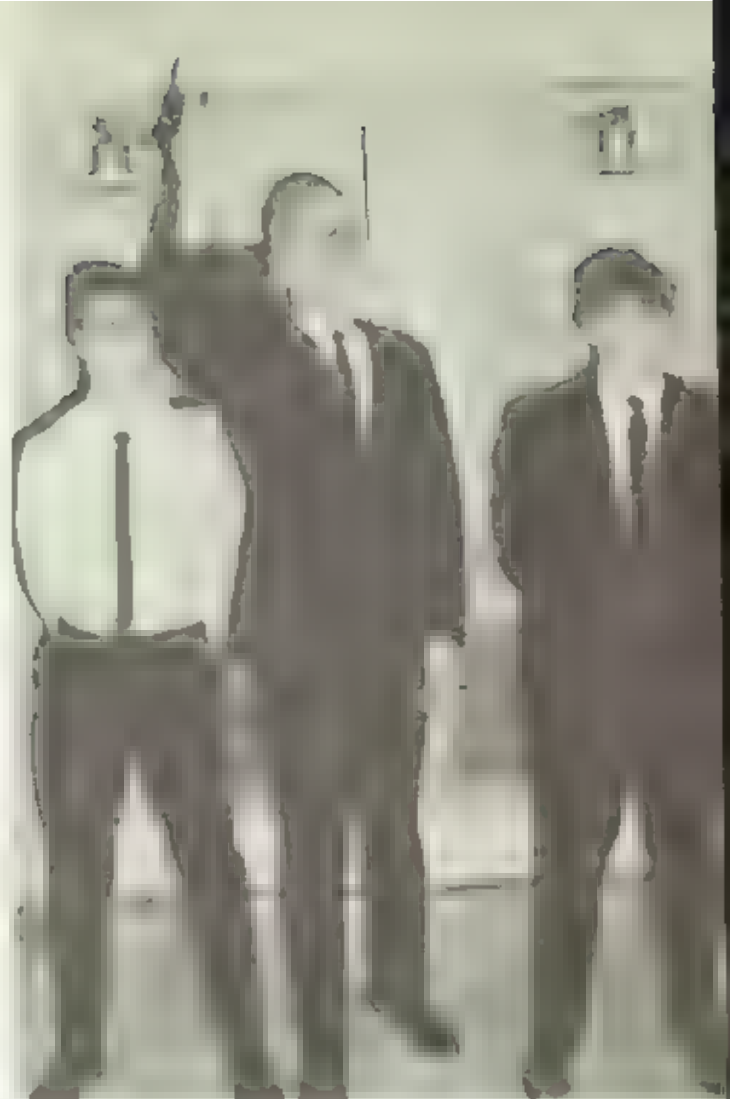
turning him over to the defense attorney (George Blaine) as the judge (Jim Ingle) presides



After watching this witness (Cynthia Baumgartner) accuse the defendant, we concluded she must watch alot of TV. She exhibited characteristics she couldn't have learned at school'



No wonder some characters thought rehearsals were fun'



What goes bafkfs (Rod Williams and Larry Clark) ?? You're supposed to permit no interruptions (Greg Curtiss) '



This knife isn't loaded — it merely serves to emphasize my point

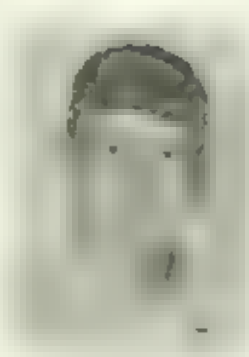


Could a verdict against a student be impartial—with that many teachers on the jury

THE CLASS OF 1969



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS left to right Terry Schreiner, President, Linda Bonnett Secretary, John Cowen, Student Council Representative, Gary Woolums, Treasurer, Larry Smith Vice President



Gregory Abbott



Denise Andeway



Douglas Baumgartner



Dennis Bethards



Lawrence Blaine



Linda Bonnett



Beverly Bott



Stephen Breon



Terry Brown



Thomas Campbell



Richard Capps



Trudy Caviness



Ronnie Chacey



Robert Conger



John Cowen



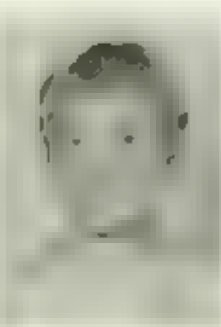
Ila Cox



Rickey Davis



Sharon Elmore



Mary Dickinson



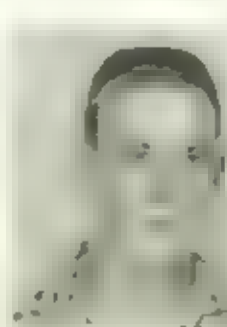
Patsy Dumont



Sharon Elmore



Vickie Fye



John Gillam



Sharman Gott



Jim Hadley

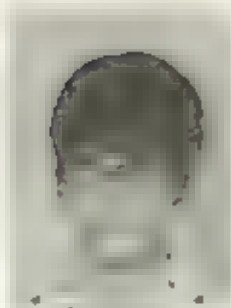
ARE NOW READY



John Hammes



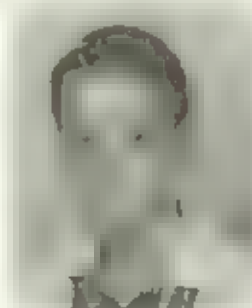
Lynda Hahn



Lynn Harbison



David Hoover



Tommy Horras



Mary Hoskins



Carolyn Hughes



Michael Hughes



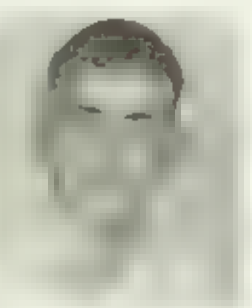
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Gary Lankford



Mary Lowenberg



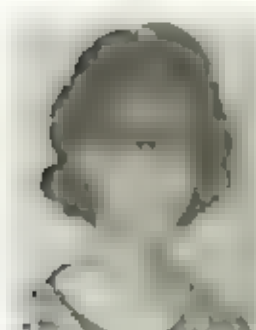
Randy Lowenberg



Diana Luttenegger



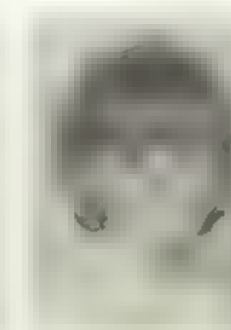
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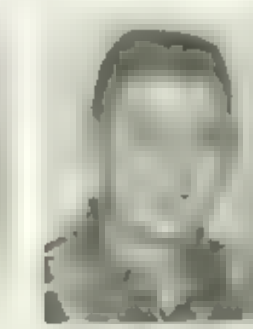
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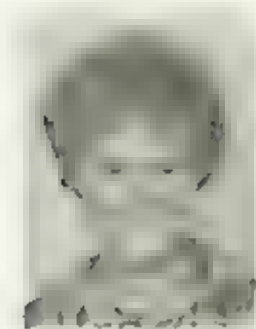
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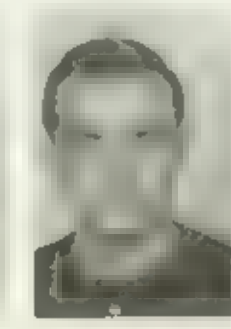
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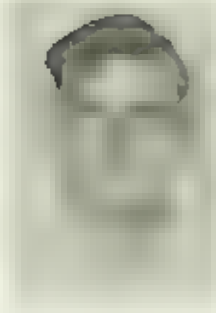


Marshall Skinner

TO PLAY THEIR PART.



Larry
Smith



David
Snoddy



Dolores
Spray



Karen
Stansberry



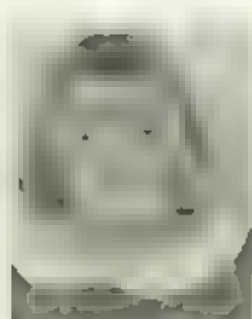
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Karen
Sterling



Kathy
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Dianna
Vannoy



Nathan
Van Dyke



Danny
Weber



Mary
White



Edward
Wilson



Janis
Wonderlich



Roger
Wonderlich



Verne
Wonderlich



Gary
Woolums



Marie
Yahn

MURDER IN REHEARSAL (Our Class Play)



THE CLASS OF 1970



FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS from left to right Terry Chacey, Treasurer, Mary Jo Sobaski, Secretary, Mary Conger, Vice-President, Dennis Lock, Student Council Representative, Steven Reynolds, President.



Bob
Adler



Vicki
Anderson



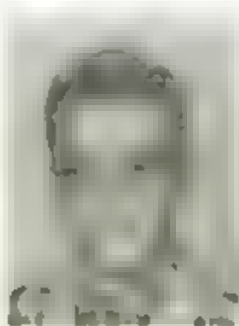
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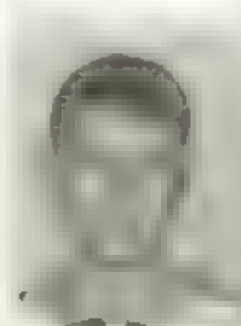
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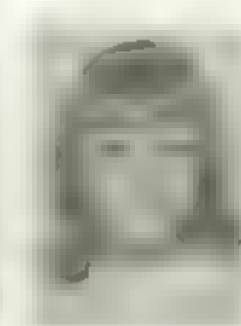
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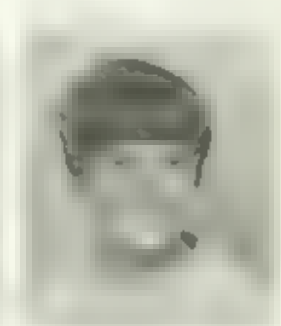
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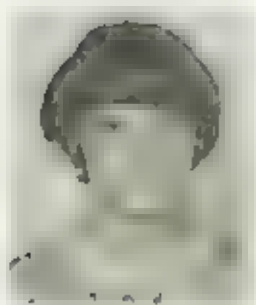
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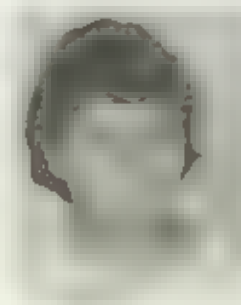
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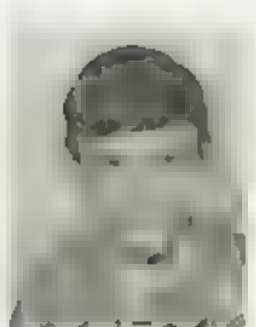
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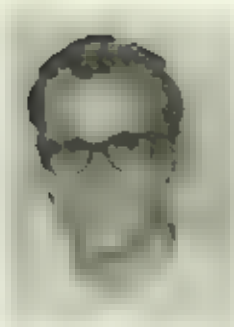


William
Hoekstra

CLIMB STEADILY UPWARD.



Robert
Hamver



Tom
Hoskins



Stephen
Hughes



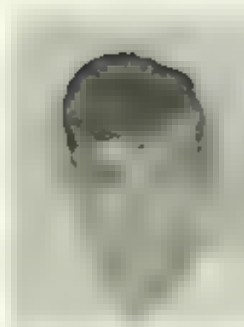
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Mary
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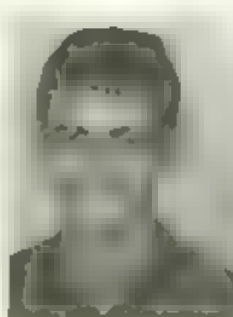
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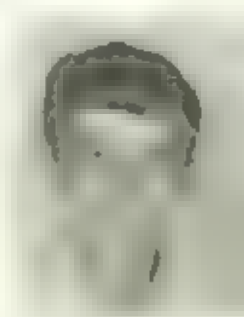
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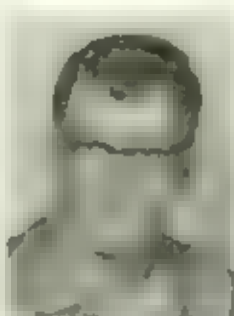
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Don
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Gary
Schurtz



Jim
Small



Mary
Sobaski



Dennis
Thomas



Bruce
Tuley



John
VanBlaricom



Fay
Vittetoe



Tim
Ward



Becky
Williams



Kathy
Wilson



Randall
Wonderlich



Larry
Yoder



Kathryn
Zepp

FRESHMAN CLASS PLAYS



Two Freshmen Class plays were presented using the concept of Theater in the Round. The stage was the center of the cafeteria with the audience seated all around. The Plays and Casts were as follows:

THE DEAR DEPARTED

Mrs. Slater	Nancy Blake
Mrs. Jordan	Mary Conger
Henry Slater	Tim Parsons
Ben Jordan	Dennis Thomas
Victoria Slater	Rita Caviness
Abel Merryweather	James McIntire

THE FLATTERING WORD

Reverend Loring Rigley	Tom Hoskins
Mary, his wife	Marsha Neff
Mrs. Zooker	Kathy Zepp
Lena	Terry Chacey
Eugene Tesh	Bill Adam



ATHLETICS



SUMMER BASEBALL AND



Back row - Tom Smith, Terry Springer, Scott Edwards, Brent Reynolds, Kyle Seavers, Norman Nothup, Mike McCluck Third row - Bryan Spanier, John Collett, Gordon Mitchell, Carl Tharp, Coach Missing, Tom Horras, George Northup, Kenneth Redmann

THE RECORD

Won 4

Lost 9

SIGSBY
HARMONY
EGLIN
WEST BURLINGTON
CENTRAL
VAN BUREN
WACO
VAN BUREN
HARMONY
WEST BURLINGTON
CENTRAL
WACO
CARDINAL
VAN BUREN

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT
MOULTON-UELLE

The Panthers started their 1966 season under discouraging circumstances. No seniors were available for the squad and only two Juniors and 2 Sophomores. Furthermore, no coach was available until Superintendent C. E. Tharp volunteered to keep the program going for the summer. Despite the fact that five or six Freshmen were involved in every starting line-up, the team caught the imagination of the fans and received a great deal of praise for the spirit they showed and the efforts they exerted. They were involved in nine one-point ball games and won three of them. A few favorable breaks could have produced a much different won-lost record, but fans and students were satisfied with the gallant efforts of the 1966 Panther Baseball Team and are looking forward to brighter days as the young squad develops.

SOFTBALL PROGRAMS



Front row: Jean Downey, Carole Ann Brown, Carolyn Greeson, Cheryl Schreiner, Kathy Lowenberg, Linda Sheets. Second row: William Anderson, Coach Sharon Foy, Marsha Skinner, Mary Lowenberg, Karen Seering, Carthy Bunkner, Linna Sheraden. Third row: Mark Dickinson, Vicki Andeway, Linda Andeway, Nancy Blake, Faye Vittetoe.

The Pantherettes compiled an excellent 20-3 record during the 1966 Summer season as they breezed through their third Blackhawk Conference Championship. They have not suffered a Conference defeat during that time. Since the summer of 1962, the Pantherettes have a record of 170 victories and only 18 losses. Their string of five straight Sectional Championships was broken at the close of the season by a strong Mid-Prairie squad which advanced to the finals of District play. During the summer, the girls finished third in the Adel Invitational Tournament which had an entry list of 21 teams. Three Seniors, Carolyn Greeson, Linna Sheraden, and Francine Fye showed great school and team loyalty by continuing to play during the Summer season. Greeson led all hitters with a .500 average.

THE RECORD

(Summer 1966)

Won 20 Lost 3

16	WACO	2
8	MOARVIA	1
15	VAN BUREN	0
4	MID PRAIRIE	3
8	HARMONY	6
17	HARMONY	4
25	CARDINAL	5
12	WEST BURLINGTON	0
6	WEST BURLINGTON	2
16	CARDINAL	2
19	CENTRAL	8
12	CENTRAL	3
8	MORAVIA	4
8	WACO	4
11	VAN BUREN	1
	ADEL INVITATIONAL	
10	INTERSTATE 35	7
7	BEDFORD	0
9	SOUTH HAMILTON	7
1	PANORA LINDEN	6
10	ROLAND	9
	STATE A.S.A. TOURNEY	
7	ROCKWELL-SWALEDAL	5
2	ADEL	5
	SECTIONAL TOURNEY	
5	MID-PRAIRIE	10

SENIORS

Francine Fye, Carolyn Greeson, Linna Sheraden



FOOTBALL



Front Row L. to R. Dennis Wonderlick, Mike McCormick, Jack Adams, Tony Reed, Bruce Reynolds, Dwight Best, Jim Hadley, Norman Northrup, Eddie McVay, Doug Boyd, Dick Reed, Jack Knowlton, Howard and Steve Second Row L. to R. David McVay, Wayne Gould, Dick Reed, Doug Chambers, Steve Steinbeck, Tony Adams, Bill Gould, Bill Steinbeck, Ken Latham, Steve Adams, Gary Reading, John Clark, Larry Clark, Doug Boyd, Tony Reed, Mike McVay, Tony Hedges, Bruce Reynolds, Steve McCormick, Mike Clark, Steve Adams, Steve Steinbeck, Coach Arthur Kistner, Ass't. Coach Bill Hookstra, Steve Reynolds, Roger Wonderlick, Dennis Thomas

The Panthers got off to a good start against Eddyville in the first game but the following week suffered the most humiliating defeat in the history of the school at the hands of a strong Waco team who easily roared over all opponents last season. The 1-4 won lost record was the poorest in the six years of Panther Football but was good enough for a fifth place standing in the Blackhawk Conference. Steve Steinbeck was selected as a first team choice for both the offensive and defensive All-Conference team of the Blackhawk Conf.

RECORD

13	Eddyville	0
9	Waco	29
7	Harmony	27
6	Harmony	15
6	Cardinal	0
26	West Burlington	7
5	Sigourney	25
0	Van Buren	27





THE SENIORS

L. To R. Bob Adam, Dennis Wonderlich, Wayne Goud, Brent Reynolds, David McVay, Tom Reed, Gordon Mitchell, Steve Steinbeck, Jerry Staton, Coach

A regular schedule of Freshman-Sophomore games was played in addition to the Varsity schedule. These were usually played on Monday nights and provided much valuable experience for the boys who will have to carry the load after the boys pictured on this page have graduated.

Especially severe losses are the two four letter men pictured at the right. The records compiled by Steve Steinbeck (#45) and Gordon Mitchell (#58) are listed elsewhere in this book in a section entitled outstanding athletes.



BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY



Kneeling: Ed Lowentor, Ron Lowentor, Gary Woolums, Ron Chacey, Ray Carter, Bruce Dickens, David Lowentor, Dennis Woodard, Dick Smith, Larry Greiner, Jim Smith, Tom Morris, Sigourney Davis, Ed E. Carter, Don Sanchez, Jim Carter, Sam Kuegel, Ray Manning, Steve Vann, Verne Wenderich, Larry Yoder, Joe Eyer, Sever Hughes, Eldon Layton, Steve Breon Manager

Cross Country seems to become more popular each year at Pekin High School. This year's squad composed of 20 members took part in 16 dual meets, 2 invitational meets, and the state meet.

During the season Pekin competed against schools many times as large and did quite well. Pekin defeated Ottumwa, Oskaloosa, Sigourney, Central, Cardinal, and Burlington Notre Dame. The Panthers' only defeats were to Lincoln of Des Moines, Grinnell, and Newton. This year Pekin entered the Wartburg College invitational and the Pekin 3 mile invitational. The Panthers finished the season by placing 3rd in the State Class B meet in Des Moines. This was the highest finish in state competition for a Pekin Team.

The future looks bright for Pekin with only two being lost through graduation. Larry Greiner and Bruce Dickens were chosen most valuable. Jim Smith, Outstanding Freshman, and Bruce Dickens, Gary Woolums, and Ron Chacey being elected captains for the 1967 season.

PEKIN INVITATIONAL

Pekin	31
Notre Dame	57
Muscatine	100
Sigourney	122
Cascade	130
Cardinal	150

WARTBURG INVITATIONAL

Pekin	35
Cascade	49
Central	75
Garnaville	113
Fredricksburg	150



PEKIN THREE MILE INVITATIONAL



TEAM RESULTS

1	Pekin	31
2	Notre Dame	57
3	Muscatine	100
4	Sigourney	122
5	Cascade	(4 boys)
6	Cardinal	(3 boys)

TRIANGULAR CROSS COUNTRY MEET RESULTS

VARSITY RESULTS

1. Pekin	32	1. Pekin	40	1. Pekin Jr. V.	25
2. Central	43	2. Osky	42	2. Sigourney V.	30
3. Notre Dame	60	3. Ottumwa	43	3. Cardinal V	63



DUAL MEET RESULTS

1. Pekin	25	1. Pekin	22
2. Central	36	2. Oskaloosa	57
1. Pekin	25	1. Pekin	15
2. Ottumwa	30	2. Sigourney	40
1. Fairfield	29	1. Pekin	22
2. Pekin	29	2. Notre Dame	33
1. Newton	15		
2. Pekin	40		



FALL SOFTBALL



Front row L to R: Marsha Skinner, Fay Vittoe, Carol Ann Brown, Karen Sterling, Cheryl Schreiner, Kathy Lowerberg, Cynthia Baumgartner, Mary Lowerberg, Linda Sheets. Second Row: Mary White, Manager Rita Cayness, Karen Heine, Mary Dickinson, Kathy Tucker, Cynthia Chambers, Sharon F. Moore, Linda Andeway, Nancy Blake, Trudy Cayness, and Vicki Abbot.

Pekin girls had another fine softball season as they compiled a 9 victory and 1 loss record. The leading hitter on the squad was Carol Ann Brown with a batting average of .517 for the season. The team compiled a very fine team batting average of .398. The girls had a 9 game winning streak stopped in a thrilling 8-7 loss to Pella Christian in the finals of the sectional tournament. The fall season left the girls with an enviable record of 116 victories and only 19 losses over the past 5 years. They will be looking forward to the summer of 1967 in search of their 4th straight Blackhawk Conference Championship and hope to keep alive a string of 47 straight Conference victories in their play next season.

RECORD (Fall 1966)

10	Harmony	0
17	Central	6
19	West Burlington	3
13	Cardinal	0
14	Eddyville	0
9	Mid-Prarie	3
4	Waco	3

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

18	Moravia	4
13	North Mahaska	7
7	Pella Christian	8



Linda Sheets and Cheryl Schreiner



Linda and Carol Ann
When this picture was taken beside the Ollie schoolhouse these girls could hardly have anticipated the way they appear at the left

THE BATTERY

Carol Brown and Linda Sheets were the starting pitcher and catcher respectively for all softball games. The effectiveness of their work is indicated by THE RECORD. Carol Ann was the leading batter for the Fall season with a batting average of .517 while Linda averaged .333.



THE OUTFIELD

One freshman, one sophomore, and one junior comprised the usual starting outfield trio. Each did a capable defensive job and each carried a batting average of between .300 and .400.

THE INFIELD

Marsha Skinner, 2nd B; Mary Lowenberg, 3rd B; Cheryl Schreiner, S.S.; and Cynthia Baumgartner, 1st B.



The glove work of this quartet was most effective in helping the Pantherettes to their 9-1 Fall Season Record. Cheryl Schreiner was the second leading hitter with a batting average of .488. Marsha was third with an average of .419. Mary averaged .364 and Cynthia .259. During six of the games opponents could score only 3 runs or less. Three of the games were shutouts, testifying to the girls' defensive ability.

WRESTLING



Back row left to right: Earl Pace, Dennis Matthews, Steve Reynolds, and Jay Brent Reynolds, Larry Clark, Wayne Gould. Front row: Key: Tom Price, Chuck Lewis, Dick Ross, manager. Back row left to right: Assistant Coach Mr. Hambrick, Don Sanchez, Tommy Blomme, Gary Lankford, Kurt Kreiger, Otto Samuels.

Several factors combine to make this season a less successful one than it had formerly been for Pekin wrestlers. They responded to the initial goal but this number later dropped considerably. Perhaps the greatest handicap that confronted the squad was the loss of key men due to injuries. Some of the men never were able to rejoin the squad. Scores of all matches and meets were not available, but a partial list includes the following:

PEKIN
SIGOURNEY

17
27

PEKIN
CARDINAL

21
26

PEKIN
WACO

37
13

PEKIN
ALBIA

9
33

RESULTS OF THE CARDINAL INVITATIONAL

Williamsburg 98
Ottumwa 94

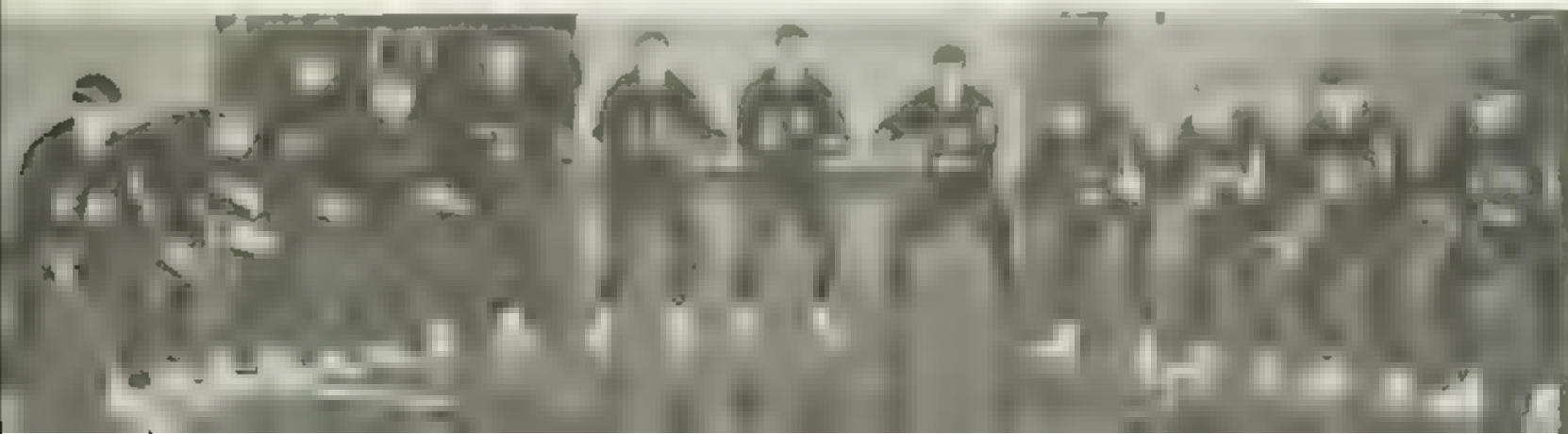
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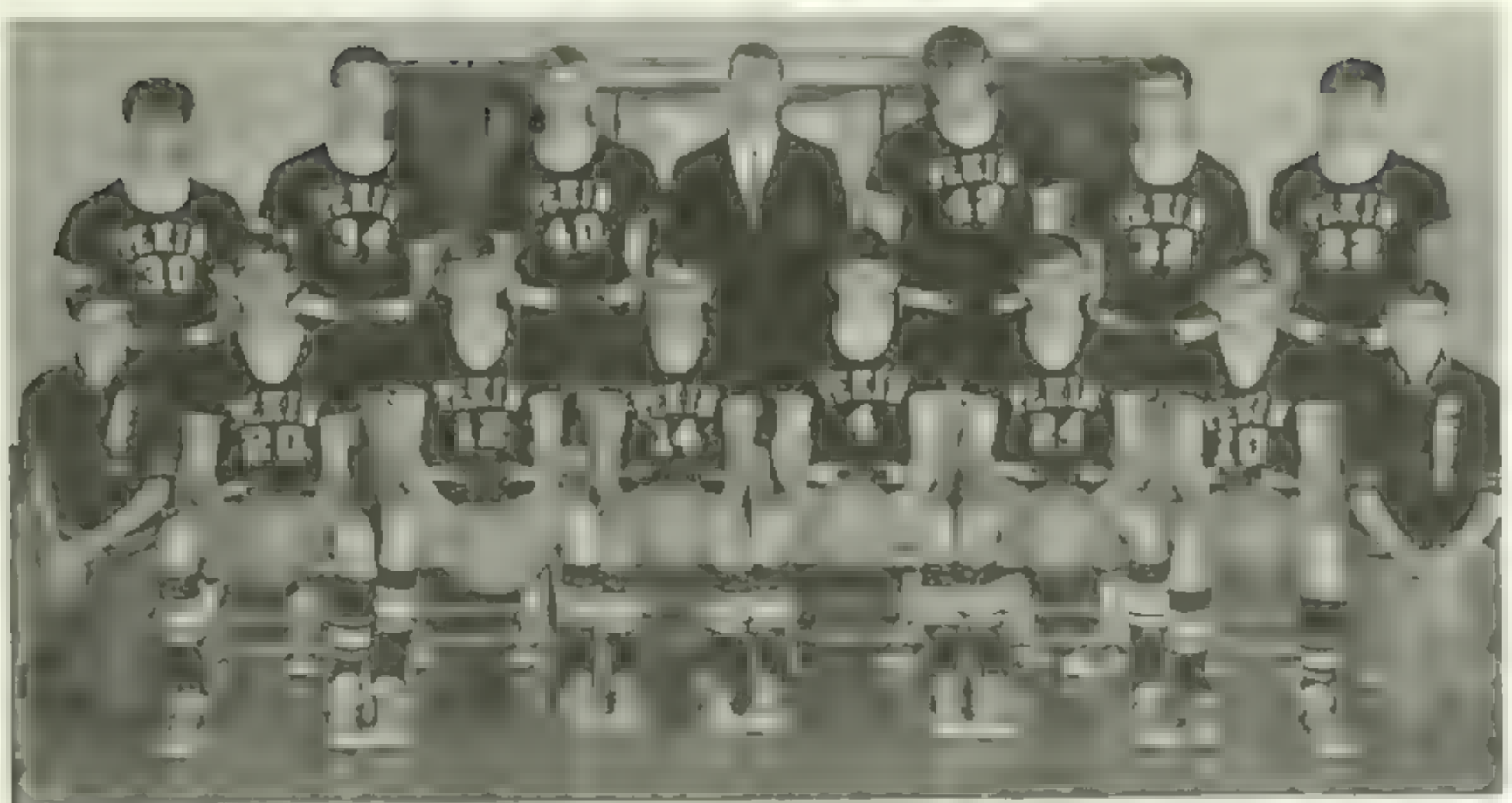
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PEKIN 65
Cardinal 74





BOYS' BASKETBALL



FRONT ROW (left to right) — Jim Cawson, manager, Bryan Spinner, Steve Allen, Steve Steinback, Dick Stein, Gordon Mitchell, Bruce Dickson, — JERRY HERRIN, manager. SECOND ROW — Jim Steinback, Kenneth Ledermann, Ronnie Chacev, Mr. Eidah, Coach David Hoover, Randy Lowenberg, David Lowenberg

The 1966-67 Boys Basketball team at Pekin High had a very successful season. This was the 2nd straight winning season for the Panthers who ended the season with 14 wins and 7 losses.

You might say that history repeats itself as the Panthers lost the Conference title to Waco in the last game of the season. After leading or sharing the lead with Waco all season, the Panthers had to travel to Waco in the last game of the season. Pekin got off to a bad start and were never quite able to make up the difference.

Pekin relied on its defense this past season holding 8 teams below 40 points and 15 teams below 50 points. The heights on defense came when Pekin held Harmony to only 28 points. Against West Burlington, Pekin exploded for 40 points in the final six minutes to total 76 points, the most points scored by a Pekin team.

The Senior starters will be missed greatly by Pekin next year. Steve Steinback, a three year starter at guard, scored 208 points his Senior year. He made the third Blackhawk Conference team and was co-captain for the 1966-67 season.

Steve Allen, a two year starter at Center, scored 208 points and grabbed 214 rebounds. Steve made the 2nd Blackhawk Conference Team at Center.

Gordon Mitchell, a three year starter at forward, scored 308 points, 214 rebounds and had 55 assists. Gordon rewrote the record book at Pekin by establishing seven individual school records. Two of the most notable ones:

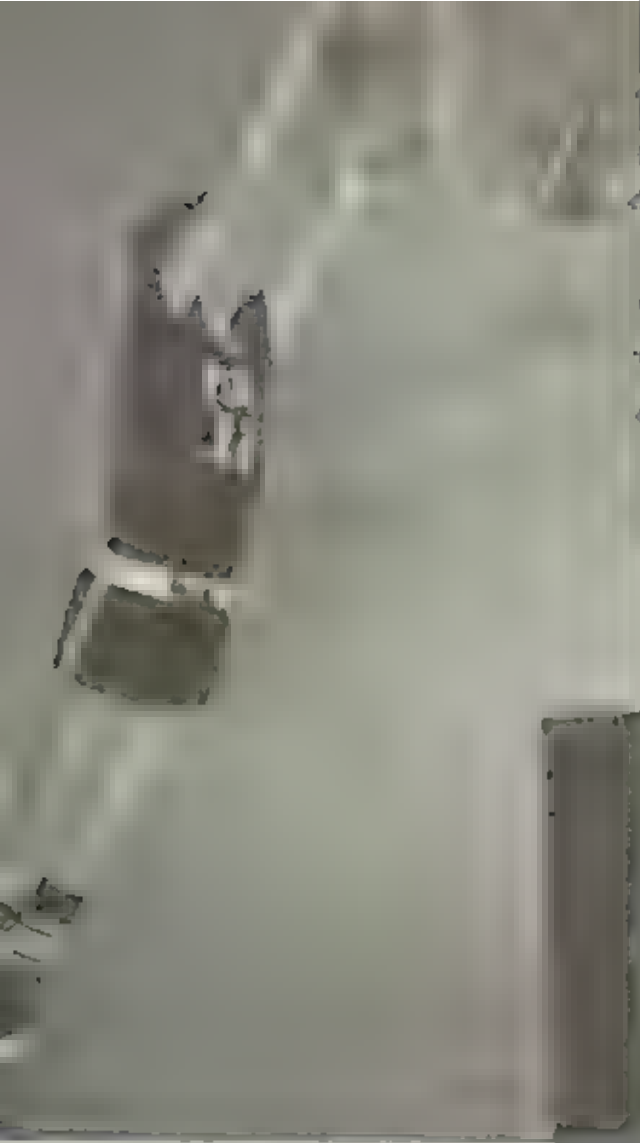
Most Points in one season—308

Most points in a career—775

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Waco	10- 2
Pekin	9- 3
Central	7- 5
Van Buren	5- 7
West Burlington	5- 7
Harmony	4- 8
Cardinal	2-10





STEVE ALLEN
Steve didn't learn to do this until after
the season was over



THE SENIORS
Steve Allen Steve Steinbeck and Gordon
Mitchell



STEVE STEINBECK
Steve's record is listed elsewhere in a
section entitled "Outstanding Athletes."

THE RECORD

CONFERENCE GAMES

57	Tri-County	38
43	Central	41
61	Harmony	40
47	Cardinal	48
55	West Burlington	36
61	Van Buren	38
48	Waco	56
50	Central	41
57	Tri-County	49
46	Harmony	28
47	Cardinal	36
76	West Burlington	46
51	Van Buren	39
42	Waco	55
53	Keota — (2 overtimes)	55

BLACKHAWK CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

62	Cardinal	43
35	Van Buren	36
44	Harmony	39

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

67	Hedrick	60
45	Mid Prairie	70

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

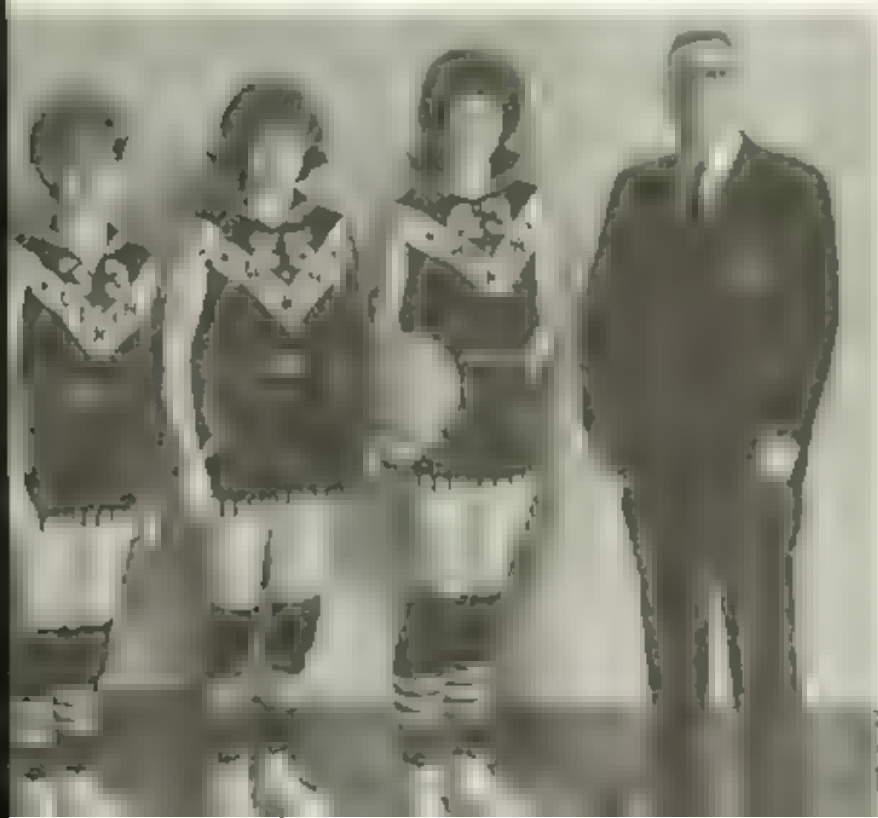


FRONT ROW L. to R. Carol Ann Brown, Marilyn Weber, Kathleen Lowenberg, Cheryl Schreiner, Karen Sterling, Kathy Tucker. SECOND ROW: Mary White, Manager, Rita Parsons, Marion Meidrieck, Eve V. Heloe, Mary Lowenberg, Mary Dickinson, Lally Caviness, Debbie Fritzsche, Debbie Cooklin, Karen Sandberry, and Mary Mitchell, Manager. BACK ROW: Mr. William Andersen, coach, Mrs. Maureen Williams, chapter rep. and Mr. Davis Padak, coach.

The Pantherettes surprised their fans during the last season by compiling an excellent 22 won and 4 lost record. They missed going to the state tournament by the narrowest of margins. The team that defeated them in the final game of the District Tournament, Mediapolis, became the eventual State Champion. Their match through the State Tournament field was so easy that it would appear the Pantherettes were stronger competition than many of the teams who were there. The girls won both the trophy for the Blackhawk Conference League Championship and for the Blackhawk Conference Tournament, the latter for the third consecutive year. They also won their third consecutive Sectional Tournament Championship.

THE GUARD SECTION

Kathy Tucker, Karen Sterling, Cheryl Schreiner and Coach Bill Anderson.



Individual Honors:

Cheryl Schreiner

1st All-State Team — Iowa Daily Press Association
1st All-State Team — Des Moines Register
1st Team - Blackhawk Conference (unanimous choice)

Marilyn Weber

2nd Team — Blackhawk Conference
Honorable Mention — Iowa Daily Press Association

Kathy Tucker

2nd Team — Blackhawk Conference

Kathy Lowenberg

Honorable Mention — Blackhawk Conference

Karen Sterling

Honorable Mention — Blackhawk Conference



CHERYL SCHREINER

Cheryl's record is listed elsewhere in a section entitled "Outstanding Athletes."



THE STARTING SIX

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Ann Brown, Marilyn Weber, Kathleen Lowenberg, Cheryl Schreiner, Karen Sterling, and Kathy Tucker

These girls comprised the starting lineup in every game during the past season and are largely responsible for the trophies that have been accumulated and with which they are pictured. The guard section composed of Schreiner, Tucker and Sterling held opponents to the unusually low average of 34 points per game. The forward court, led by Weber's 23.6 average, managed to score an average total of 50 points per game. While not exceptionally high, these offensive defensive averages were good enough to win all but 4 of 26 contests.

There was only one senior in each court, but they were both outstanding. Two time all-state guard, Cheryl Schreiner, and leading scorer, Marilyn Weber, will leave vacancies hard to fill.

THE SENIORS
Marilyn Weber and Cheryl

THE RECORD

73	Tri-County	27
68	English-Valley	23
44	Central	48
32	Harmony	15
49	Montezuma	43
60	Cardinal	53
65	West Burlington	18
64	Van Buren	45
49	Waco	34
61	English-Valley	28
43	Central	38
51	Tri-County	28
33	Harmony	35
36	Cardinal	26
71	West Burlington	31
52	Van Buren	38
25	Eddyville	36
45	Waco	41

CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

52	West Burlington	32
34	Waco	32
50	Central	45

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

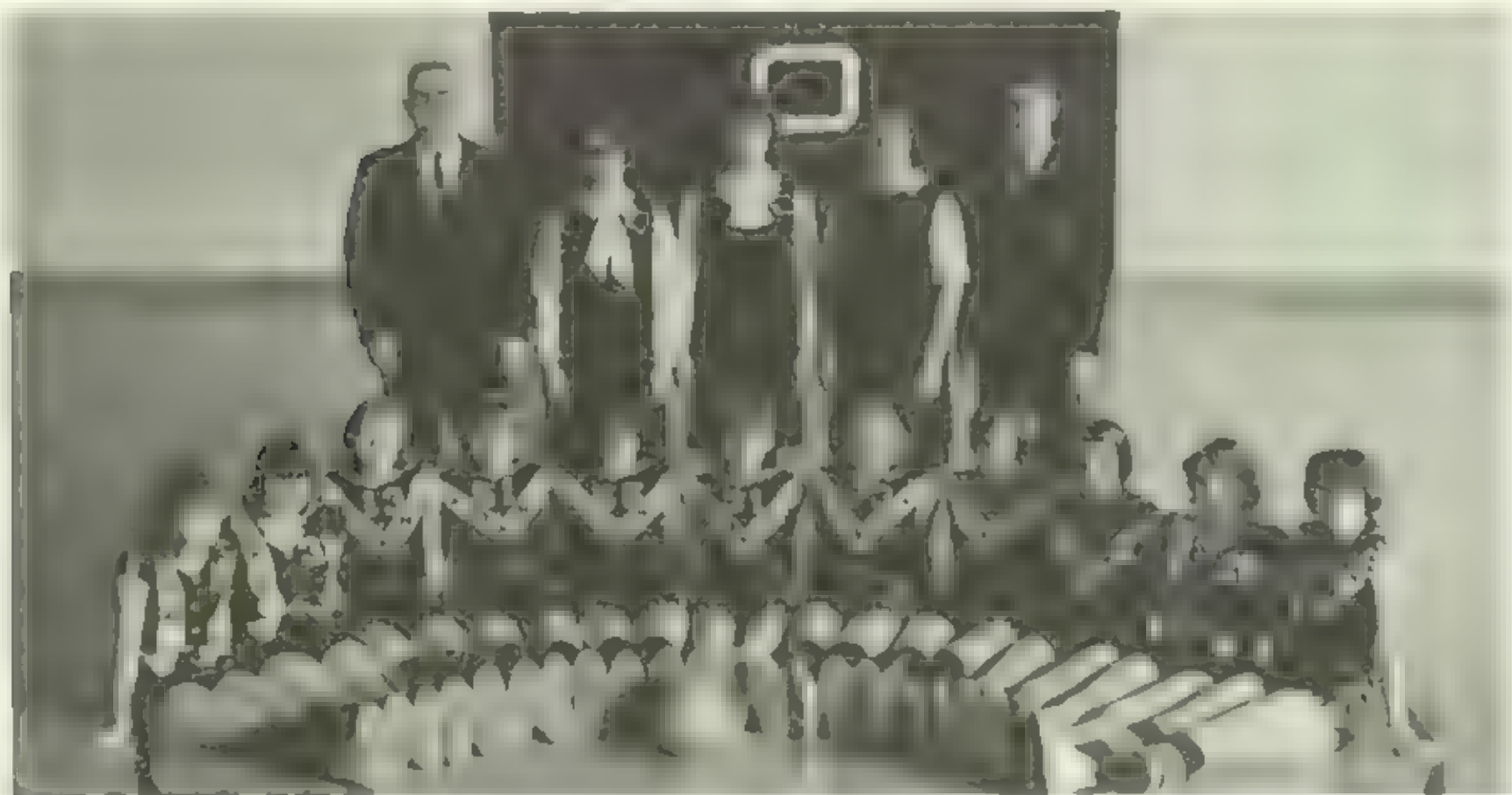
72	Tri-County	28
38	Waco	30
51	Harmony	27

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

45	Winfield Mt. Union	37
38	Mediapolis	46



FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE GIRLS



Seated L. to R. Mary Genger, Karen Blome, Rita Parsons, Fay Vittetoe, Mary Lowenberg, Mary Dickinson, Trudy Caviness, Marion Miedreich, Diana Luttenegger, Sharon Elmore, Karen Stansberry

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE BOYS



First Row L. to R. Dennis Bone, David Hoover, Ken Redmond, Jim Steinbeck, Randy Lowenberg, Ron Chacey, Ron Dickinson, Greg Abbott, Second Row, L. to R. John Cowen—~~Manager~~ Bill Hoekstra, Jim McGaw, Bruce Tuley, Tim Parsons, Davis Edahl—Coach, Dennis Lock, Rick Davis, Robert Bradfield, Tom Horras—Manager

GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY



L to R: Ed Dahl, Coach, Mary Beth Adam, Marlene Bonga, Sandra Lacy, Kathryn George, Kathy Seavers, Dianna Lattenegger, Margaret Cain, Susan Williams

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

A squad of twelve girls, along with coach Ed Dahl, started a new sport this year at Pekin High School: Girls Cross Country. The girls took part in five dual meets, 2 invitational meets, and the state meet. The girls showed much enthusiasm for the sport as they ran up the hills, through the creeks, dodged the cows, and jumped over fences. In their first year, the Pekin Girls did quite well. They defeated Carlinia twice and after losing to Ottumwa at the start of the year, defeated Ottumwa, giving the Ottumwa team their only defeat of the year. The girls took third place honors in the Ade Invitational, 7th in the State meet, and ran 2nd behind state champion Central in the Pekin Invitational.

Kathy Seavers and Margaret Cain were Captains for the 1967 season. Dianna Lattenegger was the most valuable runner, and Mary Adam and Dianna were elected Captains for the 1968 season.



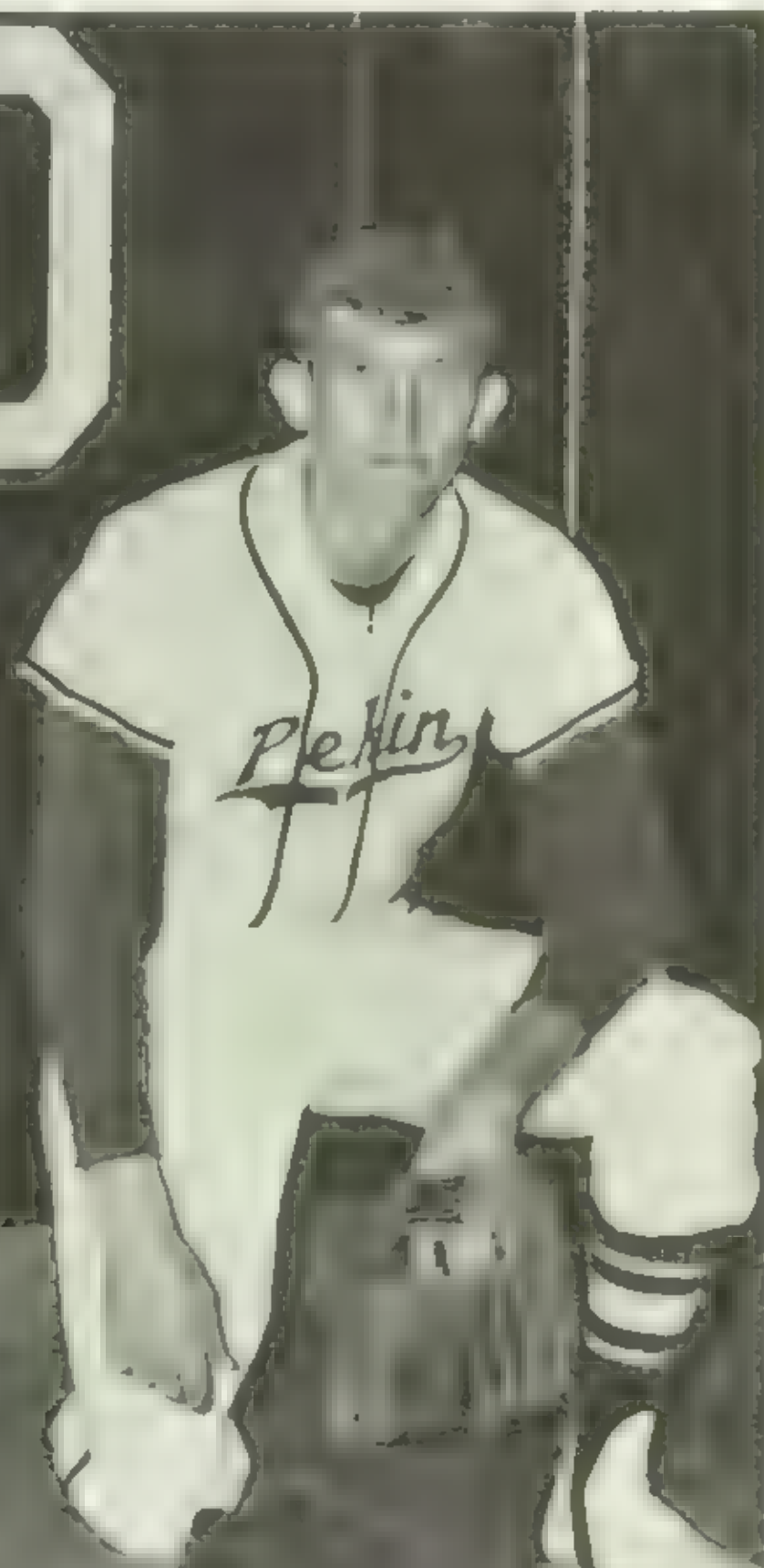
OUTSTANDING ATHLETES

Most athletic contests are settled as the result of a "team effort. However, there are always those individual athletes who seem to give more of themselves than others and enjoy such success that they are referred to as "stars." Those athletes pictured on the following pages were merely members of Pekin athletic teams. However, the contribution of each of them has been so significant during the past year that we feel it is only right and proper that we use these pictures we have in conjunction with the records of accomplishments of each of them that has caused Pekin fans to speak of them proudly. These examples of the best in Pekin Athletics will be worthy ones for others to follow.



LARRY GREINER

Larry is shown above in one of his typical all-out efforts to become an outstanding distance runner. This frail freshman won many points for Pekin this year and is considered an outstanding prospect.



GORDIE MITCHELL

Gordie is one of the most outstanding all-round athletes produced here at Pekin. As a "4 sportsman", he has won major letters in football, basketball, track, and baseball.

He is an outstanding baseball pitcher. When not pitching, he fills some other position on the team, as he is too valuable to leave on the bench. In football, he played end, and was an excellent pass-receiver, and an outstanding defensive wing man.

RECORDS IN FOOTBALL

Most receptions 1 season
Most receptions 1 game
Most yards gained pass receiving 1 season
Most Touchdowns 1 season
Longest intercepted pass return
Most pass receptions (career)
Most yards gained pass receiving (career)
Voted Most Valuable Player on the Team
First Team All-Conference Two Years in a Row
Leading Tackler on the Team in '67
Voted Captain of the Team
Voted President of the Letter Club '67
Honorable Mention All State Associated Press '67
Honorable Mention All State Iowa Daily Press Association '66-'67
Voted Player of the Week for five football games

STEVE STEINBECK

He holds more school records than any past present Pekin athlete

FOOTBALL

4 Year Letterman
1st Team All Conference
Leading Scorer in Conference in 1966
Leading Rusher in Conference in 1966
Elected Captain of team in 1966
Most Valuable Player of the week 5 times

SCHOOL RECORDS INCLUDE

Most yards gained rushing 1 season
Most total yards gained 1 season
Most yards per carry 1 season
Most TD's one season
Most TD's career
Most yards pass receiving 1 game
Longest punt return
Most kickoff return
Most yards punts returned season
Most yards gained kickoff return 1 season
Most yards gained punts (career)
Most yards gained kickoff return (career)
Most average per return on punts 1 season
Most average per return on punts (career)
Most average per return on kickoffs 1 season
Leading scorer in scoring race held by Oskaloosa Daily Herald



TRACK

4 Year letter man
School record in pole vault (11' 6")
Cardinal Relays record holder
Honorary captain 1966-67

BASKETBALL

4 Year letter winner
3 Year Starter
Field Goal per cent record
All-Conference Honorable Mention - 2 years
Honorary Captain - 1966-1967

RON CARRIS

Ron qualified in 3 events—the 220-yard dash, the 440-yard dash, and the broad jump—for the State Track Meet. He was runner up in the broad jump event. His specialty was track although he also took part in football and cross country. Some of his accomplishments are:

SCHOOL RECORDS

100 Yard Dash	10.4
220 Yard Dash	23.6
440 Yard Dash	22.6
Broad Jump	21' 8"
440 Relay	47.5
880 Relay	1:38.5

COUNTY RECORDS

220 Yard Dash	1967
100 Yard Dash	1967

MEET RECORDS

Broad Jump	Panther Relays
440 Yard Dash	Panther Relays

DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS

Broad Jump	1966
Broad Jump	1967
220 Yard Dash	1967
440 Yard Dash	1967

CHERYL SCHREINER
 Cheryl has been without a doubt the outstanding girl athlete at Pekin during its six years of athletic competition. In addition to her athletic achievements printed below she was a member of the Pekin Chapter of the National Honor Society and was highly regarded as a leader by all of those who knew her. She carried the honors which were showered upon her in a manner that was a credit to her coach, and her school. At no time did she seem arrogant or conceited because of her outstanding ability in the field of athletics. She is pictured here with her coach Bill Anderson who has been her coach during her four years of high school. Her record includes:

Lettered all 4 years in Softball, Basketball, and Track

Chosen as member of All Tournament Team at Adel Invitational Softball Tournament Summer of 1966

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Junior and Senior Year	1st team All Conference
Junior and Senior Year	1st team I D P A , All State Team
Senior year	1st team Des Moines Register, All State Team

GIRLS SOFTBALL

Has hit over 400 the last 2 seasons and is considered by Jack North of the Girls' Athletic Union as one of the outstanding shortstops in the state

GIRLS TRACK

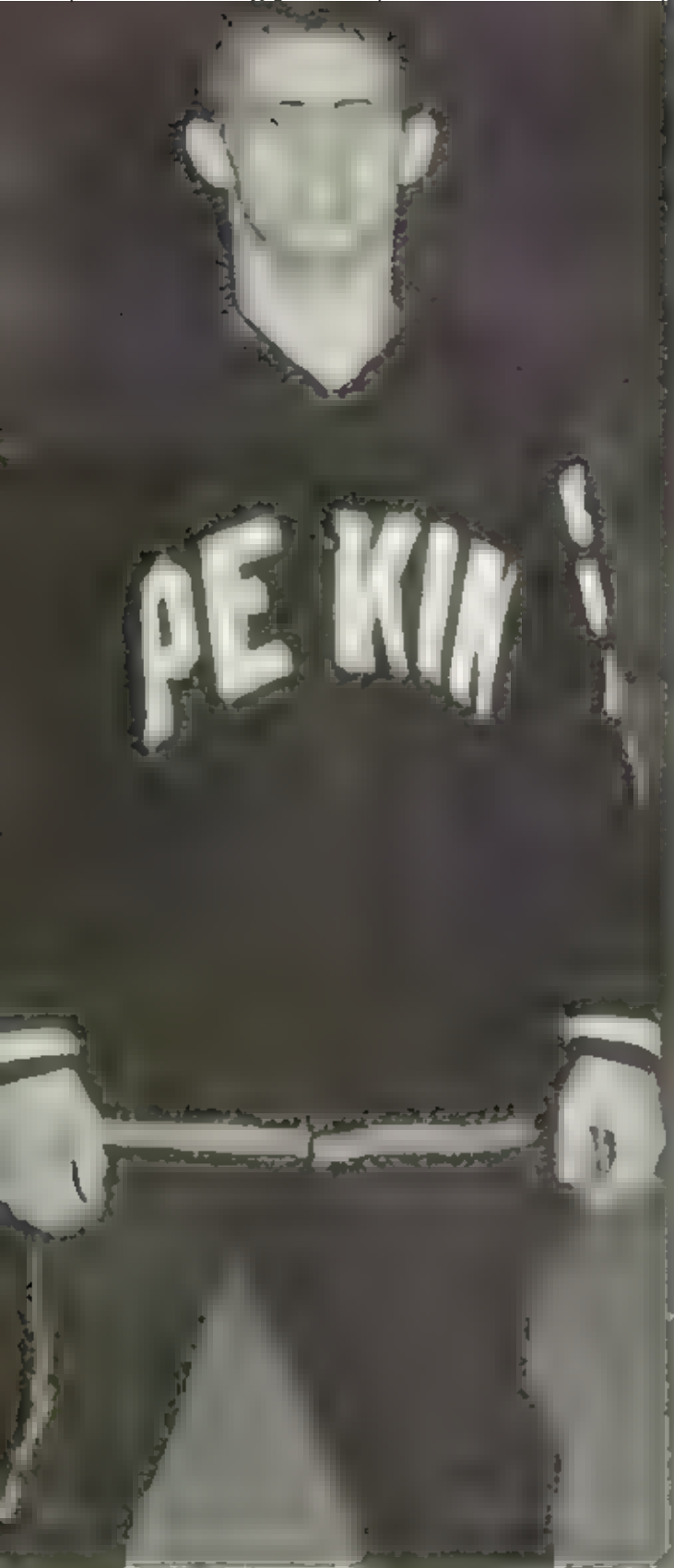
Holds 2 individual school records: 80 Meter Low Hurdles and High Jump
 Member of 5 relay teams that hold school records



DIANA LUTTENEGGER

Girl's Cross Country was only introduced at Pekin this past fall, but received good interest from several girls who had never been athletically inclined toward any other sport. Pekin's team and record can be found on another page but Diana Luttenegger, a sophomore, showed considerable promise, and was often seen leading the pack home as she is in the picture at the left





GORDON MITCHELL

Gordie earned four major letters in basketball and was a three year starter during which he led his team to thirty one victories, runner-up in the Conference for two years, and third place in the Conference Tournament last year. Gordie led the team in rebounding for three years and last year was also the team's leading scorer.

Honors won include

Only unanimous choice

First team All-Conference 1967

Most valuable player in Blackhawk Conference 1967

Second team All Southeast Iowa 1967

All State Honorable Mention 1967

Captain, Pekin Basketball 1967

Most valuable Pekin Basketball 1967

Gordon has topped his athletic accomplishments off by receiving the highest honor that the athletic coaches can present to a Pekin Athlete. He has been selected as the Panther of the Year. This is an award presented to the boy that has gained the respect of the coaches for his hard work and athletic ability. He is the best athlete in the graduating class.



BRENT REYNOLDS

Brent Reynolds is an example of hard work and dedication paying off. During his first year of wrestling he was only able to win one dual match by staying with it and working hard he was able to develop into one of the best 127 lb. wrestlers in the State of Iowa.

Honors won include

The first two time Conf. Champ

2 time sectional champ

The first 2 time Pekin Inv. Champ

Cardinal Inv. Champion

Voted outstanding wrestler in Cardinal Inv.

Voted Outstanding Wrestler on Our Team

Voted Captain of Team

First four year letterman

Holds 18 school records including

Most wins in a row (32)

Most Takedowns for a Senior

Most points scored in one season

Brent also was a regular starter in Football

Ron Carris is shown practicing one of his specialties as Steve Allen looks on. He has won 68 track events during the past 3 years. No other Pekin athlete has won as many titles as he has.



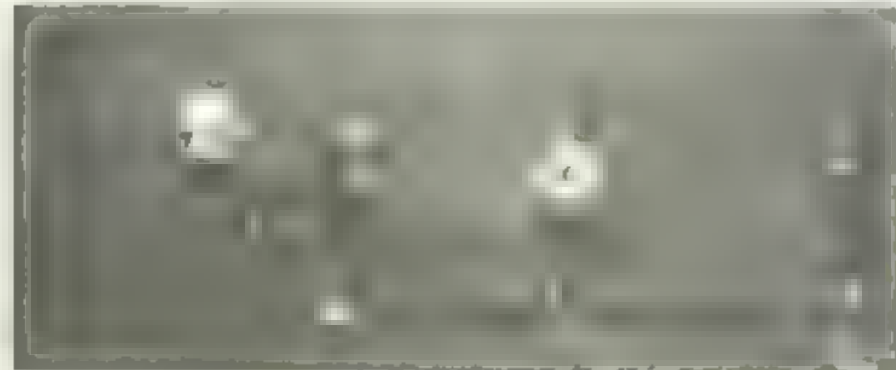
VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



First row left to right: Judy Adrian, Kirtney Steinbeck, Naomi Chasapa. Second row left to right: Kathy Adam, Debbie Neren, Pam Reynolds.



At the Iowa State University cheerleading clinic held in the fall and attended by more than a hundred cheerleading groups from all over the state, these six girls were selected as the best group from all schools with an attendance of 200 to 400.

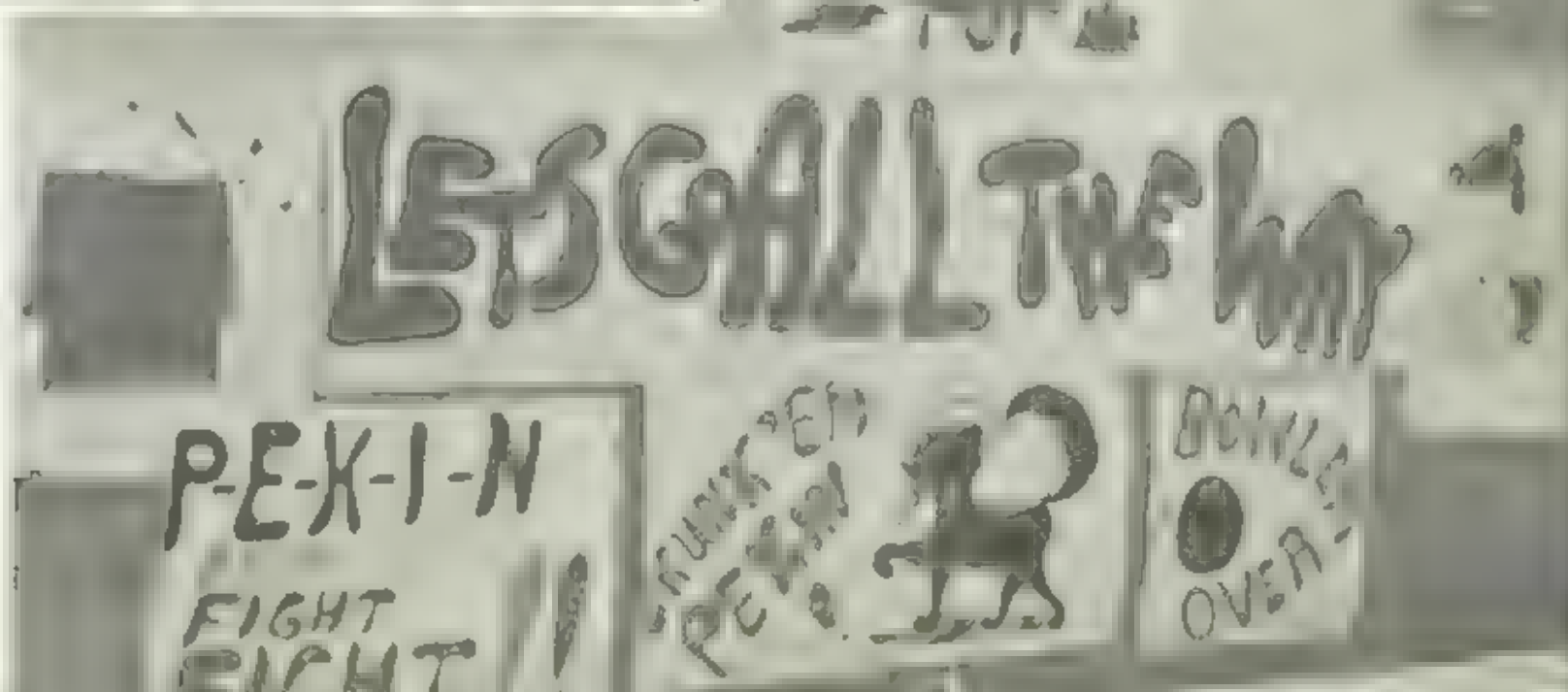




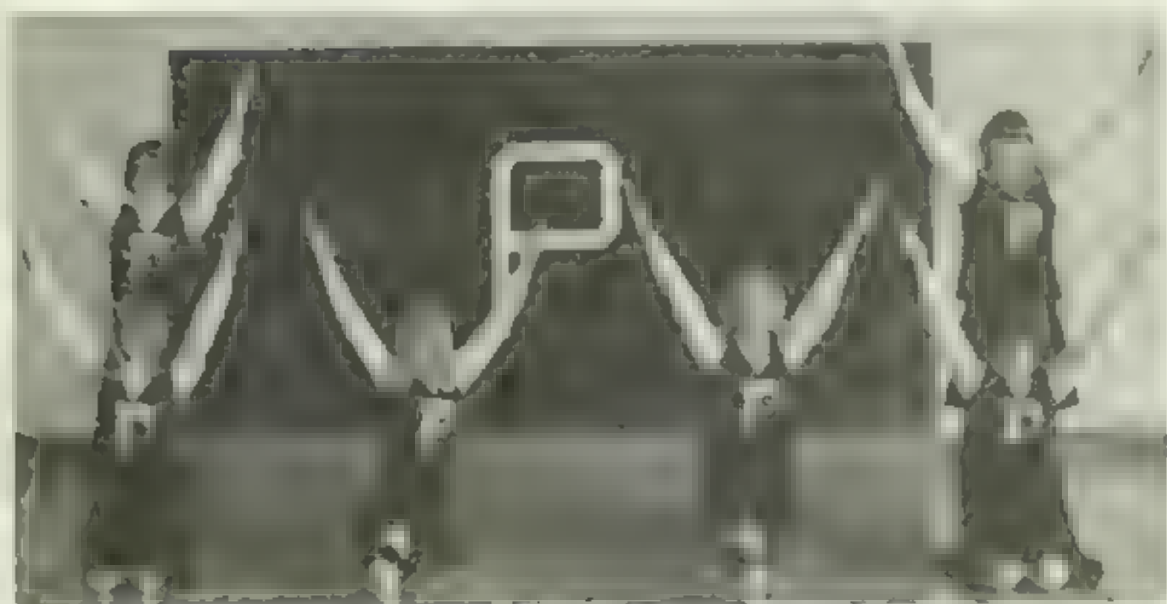
Because of a close election the two alternates Debbie Gitt and Connie Stansberry shown above on either side of the "P" cheered at all home football and basketball games making a squad of eight



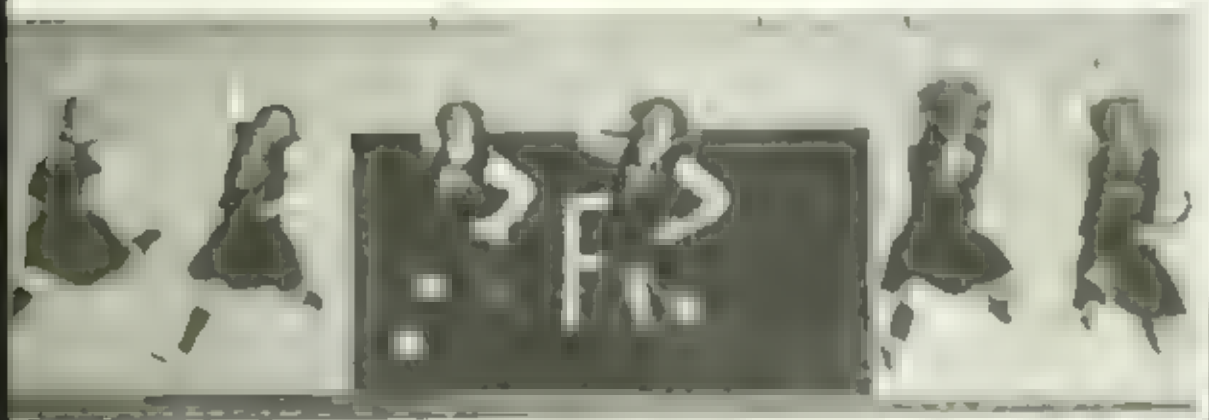
Below are a few of the many pep signs made by this group of cheerleaders which decorated the halls before each game. To the left is shown John Cowen in his panther suit made by the cheerleaders for the homecoming game



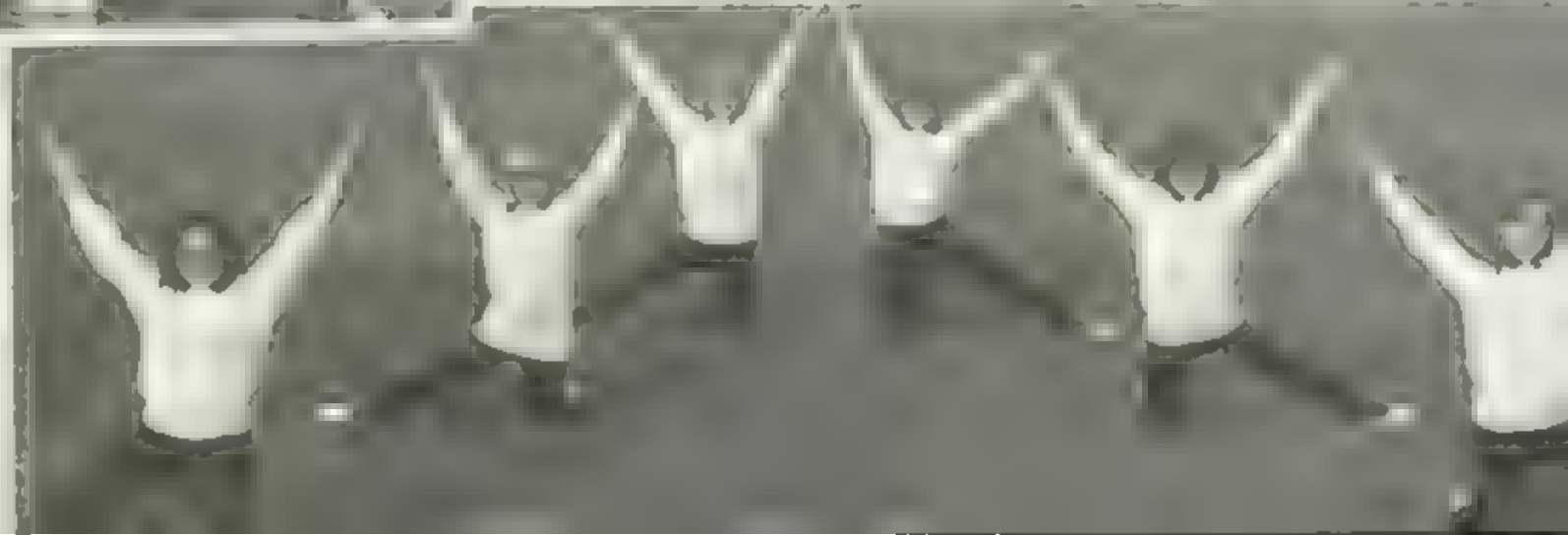
FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE CHEERLEADERS



First row left to right: Carla Bethards, Vickie Eyc, Terry Brown, Rhonda Hackett. Standing left to right: Bonita Chalupa, J. H. Mourer.



Above left to right: Carrie Winderlich, Shannon Gott, Kathy Zapp. These three girls saw a lot of action as alternates.



WRESTLING CHEERLEADERS



In front: Myrna Caviness, then left to right: Linda Tuley, Mary Hoskins, Marty Caviness, Marlene Bond, Vickie Abbott

Shown at right are the alternates Sheila Northcutt (on bottom) and Lenna Richardson (standing)



The wrestling cheerleaders did most of their cheering at mat-side and created many new cheers this year which were "borrowed" by groups from other schools

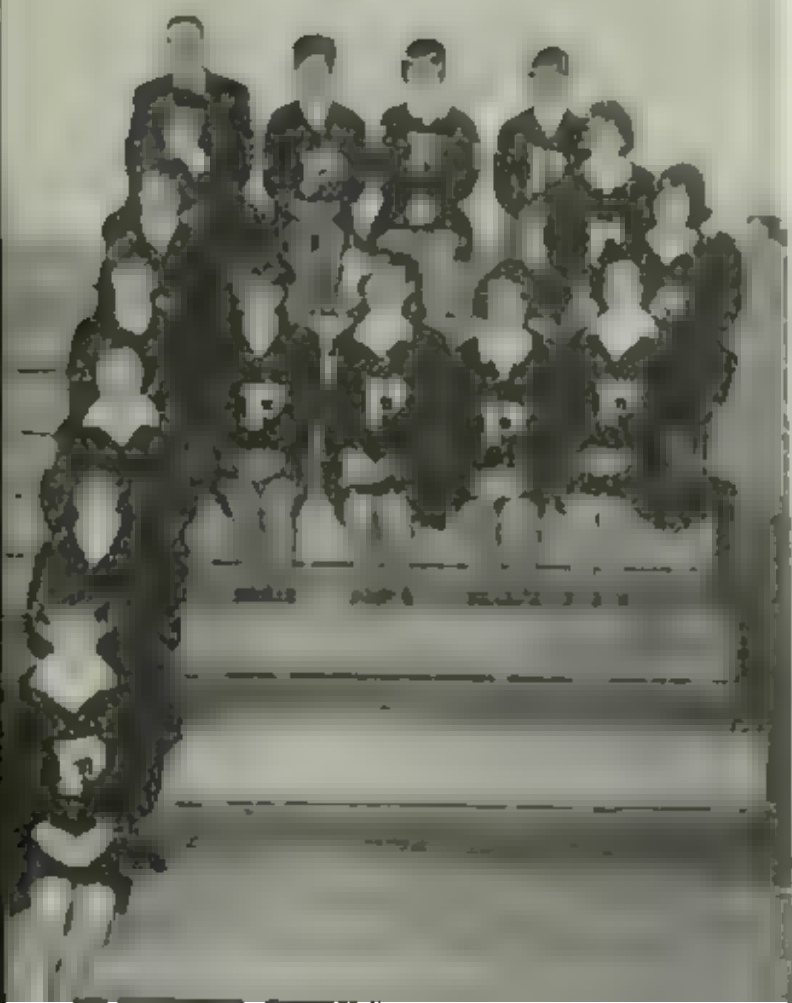


BOYS' AND GIRLS' LETTER CLUBS



First Row L to R: Ray Harris, Secretary, Steve Steinbeck, Vice-President, Gordon Mitchell, President. Second Row L to R: Dick Stein, John Condit, Larry Clark, Treasurer, Steve Allen, Sgt. at Arms. Third Row L to R: Stan Vogel, Brian Spitzer, Bruce Dickens, David Lowenberg. Fourth Row L to R: Gary Woonnis, Mike McCormack, Ronnie Cherry, Greg Allen. Fifth Row L to R: Randy Lowenberg, Ken Redmann, Jim Small, Larry Greiner. Sixth Row L to R: Jerry Stalon, Sponsor, Dennis Lock, Dennis Bond, Norman Northup.

The two Letter Clubs are organized for the purpose of helping out in any way they can. Although composed of athletes, they do not necessarily confine their services to athletics, and not all athletes are members of the Letter Clubs. The standards set and maintained by the two groups discouraged some letter winners from belonging. Both groups sold candy to raise money for their activities and the boys sponsored a very lucrative project in the nature of a donkey basketball game.



From bottom to top and around the loop: Kathy Tucker, Mary Lowenberg—Treasurer, Mary Mitchell, Karen Sterling, Kathy Lowenberg, Cheryl Schreiner—President, Mr. Anderson—Sponsor, Cynthia Baumgartner, Linda Sheets, Mary Dickinson, Sharon Elmore, Carol Ann Brown—Vice-President, Debbie Conklin—Secretary, Mary White, Rita Parsons, Fay Vittetoe.



Carol Ann is all set to use that deadly left hand



Gordie makes the opponents pay for their infraction of the rules



Letter Club initiates wore boots and work clothes on this occasion but



on this occasion they are all dressed up in their Sunday best



The packed bleachers attest to the interest this Letter Club event has for area fans



The P (for Pekin) comes home in front again

Nobody was offside for this kickoff.

BOYS' TRACK



FRONT ROW L. to R. Jim Smail, Dennis Woolums, Ronald Chacev, Larry Greiner, Gary Woolums, Ronald Shy, Ronald Carris, Dave Butterif, Verne Wonderlich, John Co. ett, Steve Steinbeck, and Joey Eys. SECOND ROW Mr. Anton Kastberg, Coach Rick Turner, Robert Hoover, Steve Allen, Greg Abbott, Jim Steinbeck, Bruce Dickens, Tim Parsons, Ray Manning, John Cowen, Dennis Bond, Tim Neeger, Eddie Paxton, Ed Hackstra, and Tom Jacobs. BACK ROW Chris Wonderlich, Jim Hagle, David Hoover, Ronald Dickinson, Stanley Vogel, Terry Schejner, Eddie Severts, Tom Campbell, and Mr. Davis Fidahl-coach.

The Pekin Boys Track Squad enjoyed their most successful season in the history of Pekin High School. The squad of 32 members which took part in ten meets brought home many honors for their school. The honors they achieved were:

- 10 new school records
- 11 freshman sophomore records
- a runner-up in the State Indoor Meet
- four meet records
- a county championship
- undefeated season in Triangular Meets
- their first Blackhawk Conference Championship
- 3 district Championships
- 6 Conference champions
- 10 County Champions

The Panthers fared well in major meets. They finished 3rd in the Panther Relays, as they lost the team title in the last event, placed 7th in the District, and 12th in the State Indoor.

Conference Champions: Ron Carris, Larry Greiner, Ron Chacev, Dave Hoover, Jim Smail, Gary Woolums, Vern Wonderlich, and Bruce Dickens.

District Champions: Ron Carris.

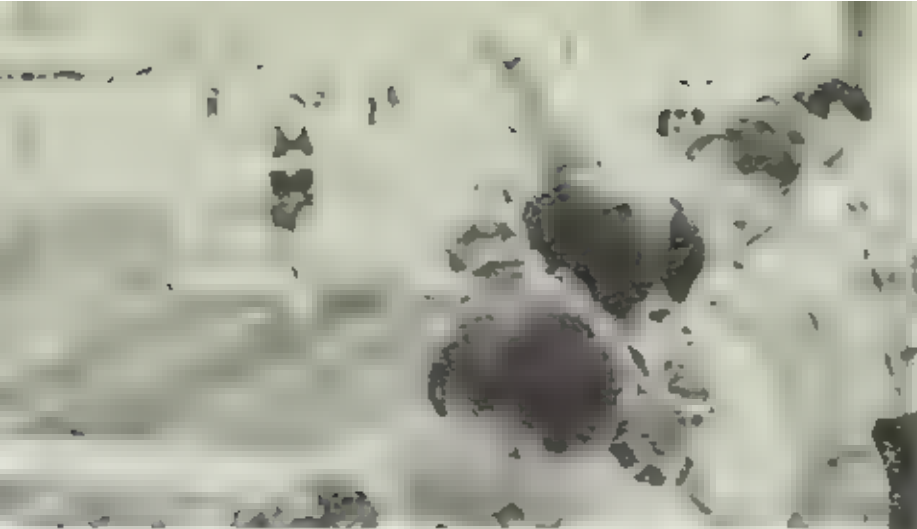
County Champions: Ron Carris, Steve Steinbeck, Dave Hoover, Larry Greiner, Jim Steinbeck, Ron Shy, Ron Chacev, John Co. ett, Greg Abbott, Dennis Bond, and Bruce Dickens.

BLACKHAWK CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Pekin	82
Waco	72
Van Buren	46
Cardinal	43
Central	42
West Burlington	9
Harmony	1

COUNTY MEET STANDINGS

Pekin	114
Keota	62
Tri-County	62
Sigourney	44



A hurdle topples, but Pekin still leads



Ron Dickenson won this close low hurdle race



Dave Hoover prepares to toss the shot



Another Panther is well out in front



Self-explanatory!!



Pekin's Panthers relax as they await the events in which they scored a top heavy Keokuk County track meet victory

NEW SCHOOL RECORDS

100 yd. dash	Ron Carris	10.4
220 yd. dash	Ron Carris	23.6
449 yd.	Ron Carris	12.6
Broad Jump	Ron Carris	21.5
Discus	Dave Hoover	148.10'
Low Hurdles	Dave Bottorff	23.0
High Hurdles	Dave Bottorff	17.1
2 Mile Run	Larry Greiner	10.45
440 Relay	Ron Carris - Jim Steinbeck	47.5
	Ron Chacey - Greg Abbott	
880 Relay	Ron Chacey - Jim Collett	1:38.5
	Jim Steinbeck - Ron Shy	

Ron Carris was elected most valuable, Larry Greiner, the Freshman Award, and Steve Steinbeck Captain for the 1967 Team. Ron Shy and Jim Steinbeck were elected Captains for the 1968 season.



Jim Ingle prepares to add points to the Pekin total

GIRLS' TRACK



FRONT ROW: L to R Linda Sheets Manager, Sylvia Reynolds, Trudy Caviness, Mary Dickinson, Connie Stansberry, Kathy Sievers, Mary Beth Adam, Judy Adrian, Rita Caviness, Cynthia Baumgartner Manager. SECOND ROW: Mr. William Adams, Coach, Eave Vetteoe, Elizabeth Granaman, Rita Parsons, Karen Stansberry, Cheryl Schreiner, Mary Matched, and Debbie Conklin

Only fifteen girls participated in the Girls' Track program at Pekin this past Spring. Despite some bad weather that caused postponement of several meets, the girls were still able to produce new school records through their efforts.

Those new individual records established were

Cheryl Schreiner in the 80 Meter Low Hurdles (13.65 seconds)

Debbie Conklin in the 220 Yard Dash (27.2 seconds)

Mary Kay Dickinson in the 440 Yard Dash (66.9 seconds)

Rita Parsons in the 880 Yard Run (2:50.3)

Relay records

880 Yard Relay—(2:00.9) by M. Dickinson, J. Adrian, K. Stansberry, C. Schreiner

880 Yard Medley Relay—(2:01.8) by D. Conklin, C. Schreiner, K. Stansberry, M. Dickinson

Mile Relay—(4:53.0) by M. Dickinson, D. Conklin, C. Schreiner, M. Adam

The girls finished very respectable in the Waco Invitational Relays, 4th in the Blackhawk Conference Meet, and the 8th out of 20 teams in the Girls District Quarters for the State Meet held at Drake Stadium in Des Moines. Debbie Conklin, the 220 Yard Dash and the 880 Yard Medley Relay team that had previously set the school record.

Gone from next year's squad will be a 4-letter winner Cheryl Schreiner, plus graduating Seniors Connie Stansberry, Kathy Sievers, and Betty Granaman.



Donkey rides can be a lot of fun



Wrestlers must LOOK and BE ferocious



Guess where this play is going



We're ready — where's the opposition



Night football has made it possible for many more fans to attend the sport and has made it possible for many more boys to participate



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These cross-country runners must be posing for a picture — they surely didn't run those long distances in bare feet

PEP CLUB



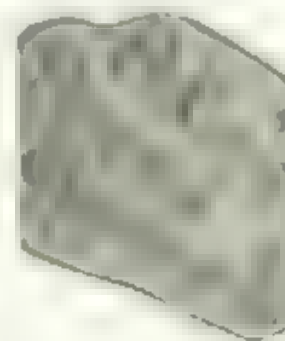
Seated in the front the variety cheerleaders left to right: Pam Reynolds, Kortney Steinbeck, Kathy Adam, Debbie Sieren, Judy Adams, Nancy Chalupa, Debbie Gott, Connie Shesberry. First row left to right: Martha Niece secretary, Jay Adam, president, Nancy Smith, vice president. Second row L. to R.: Mrs. Wachman, sponsor, Margaret Cain, Rita Parsons, Lynn Hartson, Marsh, Greg Stegert, Jerry Cherry, Martin Madroch, Betty Gorman, Linda Curtis. Third row L. to R.: Grenda Spray, Arva, Lillian, Miriam, Quik, Cynthia, Madroch, Betty Letts, Beverly Moiken, Nancy Hake. Fourth row L. to R.: Dennis Bethards, Dave Adam, David Lowenberg, George Blaine, Carol Ann Brown, Barbara Stein, Mary Mitchell, Mary Beth Adam. Fifth row L. to R.: Becky Adam, Kathryn George, Cheryl Schreiner, Louise Seiwert, Sherman Gott, Kathryn Gott, Peggy Stempel. Sixth row L. to R.: Carol Bethards, Kathy Zepp, Bonita Chalupa, Janice Wonderlich. Seventh row L. to R.: Mary Hoskins, Linda Tuley, Lenna Richardson.

In addition to supporting the cheerleaders and the teams with their presence and voices, the pep club members again this year added to the festivities of Homecoming by firing 300 colorful balloons with helium gas and releasing them when we made our first touchdown. They also were responsible for passing out the programs at each game.

During the basketball season, the members passed out programs and schedules, worked in the concession stand at all intermissions, and sold booster badges for each home game.

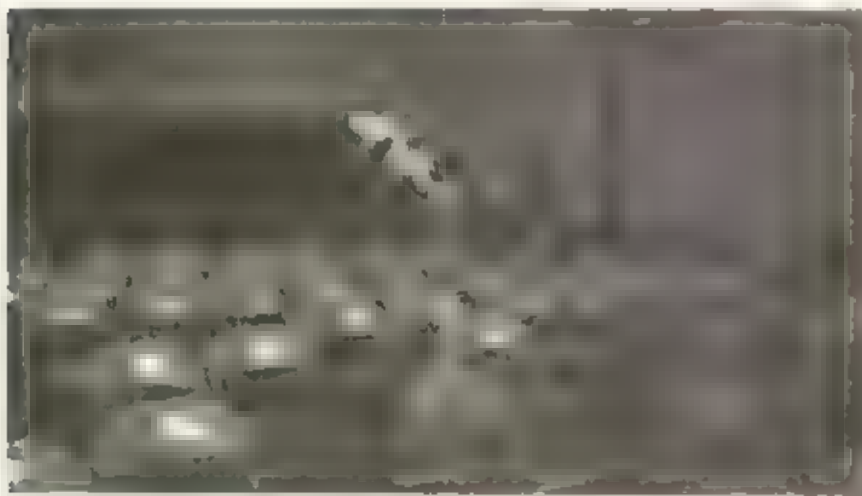
One traditional event at each pep assembly was the contest for the Pep Jug, which this year was won most consistently by the Sophomores.

The Pep Club wishes to thank Gerry Lankford for making the "Peanuts and Snappy" posters which appeared in the halls before several of the basketball games.

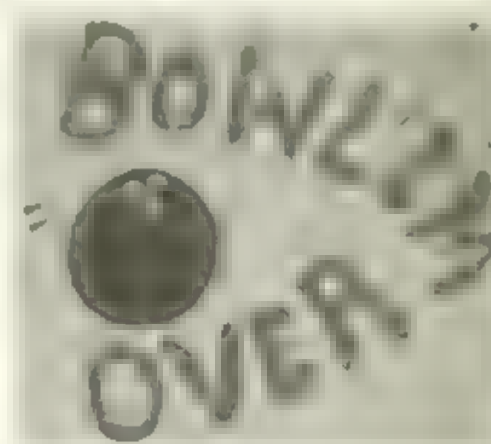




We had pep meetings for all home games and important away from home games



The cheerleaders practiced many lonely hours



Our Pep Club members arranged for posters to advertise all athletic events



The last fifteen minutes of days on which games were scheduled saw scenes like these





ACTIVITIES



JUNIOR - SENIOR BANQUET



The Junior-Senior Banquet was held in the Black Hawk Hotel in Davenport on May 6. Transportation was provided by school bus and the dinner was served in the Beaux Arts Room. Scenes on this and following pages will indicate most vividly what occurred.

The "Advance Party" showed up early and carefully planned every detail.



The camera man gets Terry Brown's attention while she gets Steve's.



145 dinners were served in the Beaux Art Room.

There was also time for conversation in groups.



Place cards were placed so as to suit most couples.



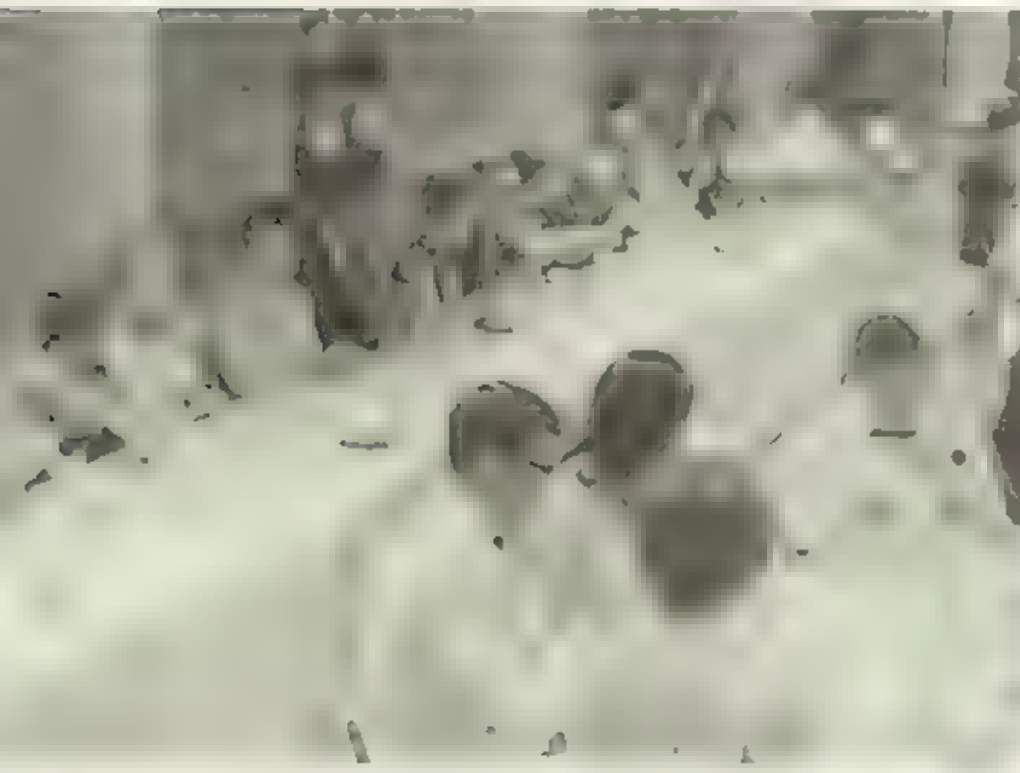
PROM AND CRUISE



While some were happy to be alone



Cameras cracked Lusa, and autograph signers were everywhere



The head table found many faculty members and administrators busily engaged, but having no more fun than casual groups. (below)



Beverly adjusts her camera



and Kathy must have thought it was aimed at her





George Blaine Junior Class President, emceed the program



Terry Brown sang "Moon River" accompanied by Mrs. Woollums



Bruce Dickens poetically welcomed the guests



Carol Ann Brown "Misty Moonbeam" gave forth with what the future had in store for the seniors

and Steve Steinbeck Senior Class President, responded



and Jay Adam "Prickly Thorn" read the Senior Class Wish





Kortney Steubeck, Terry Brown, and Mary Beth Adam sang "Some Enchanted Evening"



Where he gave orders to the Captain to "shove off"



Mr. King explained where we would find our boat and then followed everybody aboard . . .



Aboard this boat we found the Hay Wase Combo which provided music for the remainder of the evening while we were cruising up and down the Mighty Mississippi









MISS VICKI ABBOTT
HOMECOMING QUEEN

MARY SMALL. PRINCESS

BECKY ADAM, PRINCESS



QUEEN VICKI
AND HER COURT

MARION MIEDREICH, PRINCESS

SANDRA TULEY, PRINCESS

Each fall one of the home football games is designated as HOMECOMING. Former students return in large numbers for this event. One of its features is the selection of a Homecoming Queen from the senior class. Pictures on this page indicate some of the pageantry which attends the selection and coronation of the Homecoming Queen



Princess Vicki Abbott, Homecoming winner



Princess Mary on Madison in Foreign Exchange student's car



Shiny convertibles parade the candidates between rows of bandsmen on the football field



Princess Mary Nicks (above) & Princess Becky Allen (below)



Princess Sandra Tuley, chauffeured by Steve Allen. Trumpeters prepare to announce the candidates





The bleachers are always filled with students, graduates, and friends as the Student Council President announces the procedures which have been followed in selecting the Homecoming Queen

This sequence of pictures show, (upper left), Queen Vickie Sanchez, selected at last year's Homecoming, about to end her reign. She is escorted by Co-capt. of the football team, Gordon Mitchell. Princess Becky Adam (above center) is escorted by Wayne Gould, Princess Mary Small (upper right) escorted by Bob Adam. Princess Marion Miedreich (immediate left) escorted by Dennis Wonderlich. Princess Sandra Tuley (immediate left) escorted by Co-capt. Steve Steinbeck, and Princess Vicki Abbott (lower left) escorted by Brent Reynolds. The football squad always forms a corridor (lower right) through which the candidates are escorted to the stage where the winner is announced and the coronation takes place. What follows is pictured on the following pages.





These scenes from the 1966 Homecoming indicate: (upper left) Queen Vicki Abbott installed on her throne, (center left), Queen Vicki reads her proclamation; (lower left), she leaves the platform escorted by Brent Reynolds, (upper right), they lead the Grand March, (center right), followed by her court and; (lower right), other members of the large crowd that had gathered to witness the Coronation Ceremony and participate in the Homecoming Dance

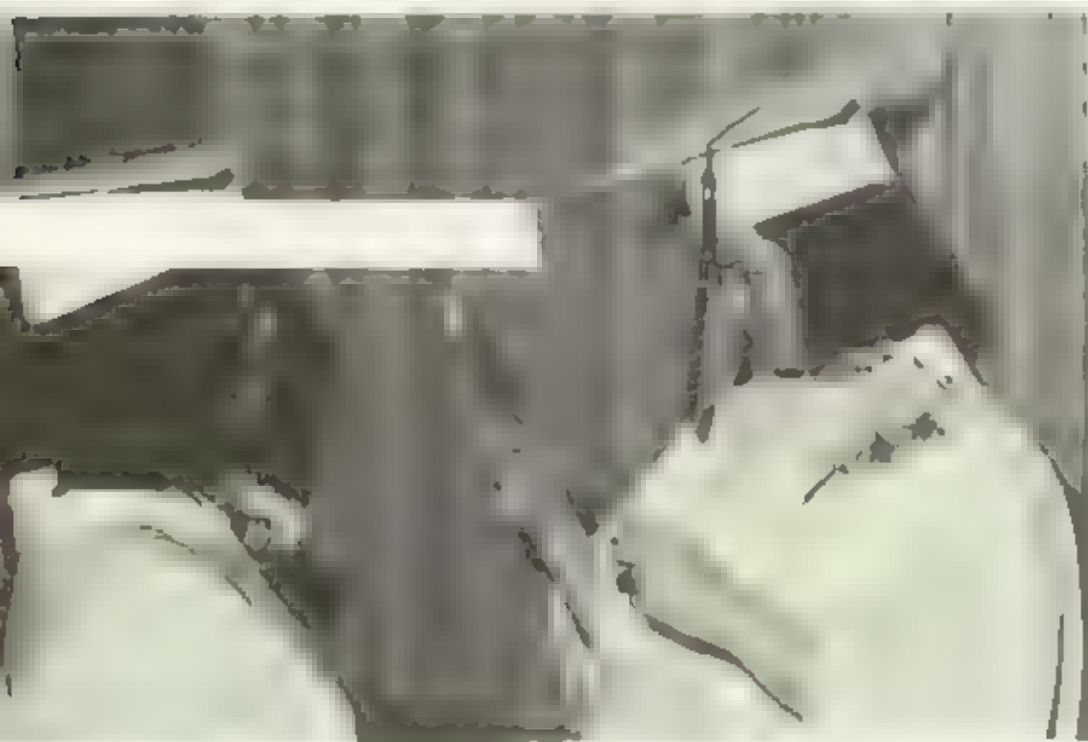
MISCELLANEOUS SCENES



A general view of our Junior-Senior Banquet



Our Homecoming Queen Candidates as we knew them



I do hope everything is just right



Our foreign exchange student (Marion Miedreich) and her American sister (Kortney Steinbeck)



Teen Queen Candidates Kortney Steinbeck, Patsy Dumont, and Terry Brown (Terry was elected.)



Even if it wasn't funny Louise would laugh



An attentive commencement crowd



Each spring the Blackhawk Conference sponsors two music festivals, one featuring instrumental music and one devoted to vocal music. On March 21 it was Pekin's privilege to host the vocal festival. Following an afternoon of rehearsals the vocalists representing the seven conference schools presented a program for the public. Numbers by the entire group were interspersed by special numbers presented by each school. The picture above shows the massed chorus at a time when the Cardinal boys double quartet were presenting that school's special number.



MUSIC

VOCAL MUSIC

The vocal music department again this year, enjoyed great success beginning in the early fall with the selection of four students of the mixed chorus to participate in the All State Music Festival. Three mixed quartets worked toward the auditions for the festival, but because of an injury to one quartet member only two of the mixed quartets were able to go through the auditions. Both of these groups were recalled for a second audition and one of the quartets was selected for the trip to the festival held in Des Moines during Thanksgiving vacation. The group that was unable to audition was Terry Chacev, Cheryl Schreiner, Phil Johnson, and Ronnie Chacev. The quartet recalled but not selected for the festival was Mary Hoskins, Kortney Steinbeck, David Lowenberg, and Dennis Woollums. Making up the winning quartet was Terry Brown, Linda Bonnett, Danny Zear, and Mark Curtis.

In early November the three large groups of the department presented their first concert performed entirely from memory and well received by the public.

Immediately work was begun toward the Christmas concert which was the presentation of the Christmas portion of G. F. Handel's Messiah. The performance was excellent and a recording of the concert was played over radio station KMCD in Fairfield on Saturday afternoon the day before Christmas. This work was by far the most difficult music ever attempted by the Pekin vocal students and the students seemed to rise to the occasion.

Following Christmas vacation efforts were turned toward the Blackhawk Conference Vocal Festival which was held here on Tuesday, March 21, involving some 400 students. Directed by Prof. Herald Stark from the State University of Iowa, the festival was deemed by the conference directors to be the most beneficial and successful one ever held.

Even before the festival was held, work had begun on numbers to be presented at the State Solo and Small Ensemble Contest in the spring. Following the festival, work was intensified and the climax came on Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15, when Pekin vocal students entered 30 events and received 21 Division I Ratings far overshadowing all of their competitors and all past records set here at Pekin.

The following week at the State Large Group Contest held at Eddyville High School, the Pekin Mixed Chorus was the only class B chorus to receive a Division I Rating, while the Girls' Glee was one of two to receive Division I Ratings, and the Boys' Glee received a Division II Rating, the highest given to any boys' glee.

The year ended with the spring concert by the three large groups, the performance of the underclassmen of the mixed chorus at the Baccalaureate service, and solos by two of the Division I winners for the Baccalaureate and Commencement services.

A total of ninety-one students participated in vocal music this year with fifty-six in the mixed chorus, thirty-two in the girls' glee, and twenty-nine in the boys' glee. Only twenty-three students are seniors leaving a fine nucleus for next year's groups.

Mrs. Marian Woollums completed her third year as vocal director at Pekin.

MIXED CHORUS



First row left to right Rex Yoakam, Steve Steinbeck, Chuck Lewis, Nathan Van Dyke, Ron Johnson, Steve Handy, John Cowen, Nancy Smith, Debra Gitt, Naomi Chabeta, Kathryn George, Terry Chavez, Carolyn Hughes, Judy Adrian, Mrs. Woollums. Second row L. to R. Tom Neece, Charles Muehlem, George Blaine, Randy Lowenberg, Tom Hoskins, Kerney Steinbeck, Mary Beth Adam, Linda Bennett, Jeanne Chavez, Teresa Richardson, Becky Adam, Miriam Quirk, Cynthia Baumgartner, Mary Hoskins. Third row L. to R. Hollis Nusen, Dennis Woolams, Dennis Bond, Dan Rogers, Phil Johnson, Danny Zear, Mary White, Martin Miedreich, Margaret Cain, Glenda Spray, Kathy Harrison, Marlene Bond, Mary Jo Sosanski, Cara Lea Smartt. Fourth row L. to R. Mark Curtis, Ranne Chavez, Dennis Wanderlich, Dave Albre, Dennis Look, David Lowenberg, Dick Stein, Peggy Stempel, Cheryl Schreiner, Louise Seiwert, Susan Williams, Joy Adam, Linda Curtis, Martha Neece. Seated at piano Terry Brown.

ALL-STATE QUARTET



Danny Zear, Linda Bonnett, Terry Brown, Mark Curtis, Mrs. Woollums at piano

GIRLS' GLEE



First row left to right: Jeanne Chace, Debbie Galt, Nancy Chalupa, Vickie Lyle, Borata Chalupa, Denise Andrew, Marsha Nett, Terry Chace, Carolyn Hughes, Judy Adrien, Mrs. Woolfson. Second row L. to R.: Mary Beth Adam, Jess Aden, Pam Richards, Shannon Galt, Kathryn Galt, Kathy Zupa, Mary Lotts, Lynn Harbison, Cynthia Baumgartner, Lenna Richardson. Third row L. to R.: Rita Johnsons, Larve Wonderlich, Peggy Stemp, Jane Spawer, Betty Lotts, Barbara Sam, Kortney Stenbeck, Kathy Harbison, Mary Jo Sosinski, Cora Lea Sharff. Seated at piano: Terry Brown. Absent: Mary Ann Quick.

BOYS' GLEE



First row left to right: Mrs. Woolfson, John Cowen, Harold Plate, Dennis Bethards, Steve Handy, Nathan Van Dyke, Tom Blumme, Tom Hoskins, Chuck Lewis, David Cox. Second row L. to R.: Larry Greiner, Phil Johnson, Danny Zear, Terry Schreiner, Verne Wonderlich, Hollis Nelson, Roger Wonderlich, Dennis Band, Norman Northup, Danny Weber. Third row L. to R.: Tom Campbell, Richard Capps, Ron Johnson, Rex Yoakam, Eddy Seevers, Korwin Hinshaw, Randy Wonderlich, Chris Wonderlich, Jim McGaw, Larry Sobaski. Seated at piano: Linda Sheets.

Division I Rating Winners



Terry Brown
High Voice



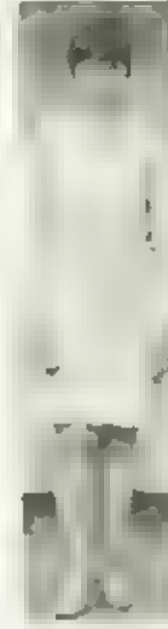
Cora Lea Scharff
High Voice



Linda Bonnett
Medium Voice



Mary Hoskins
Medium Voice



Joy Adam
Low Voice



Kortney Steinbeck
Low Voice



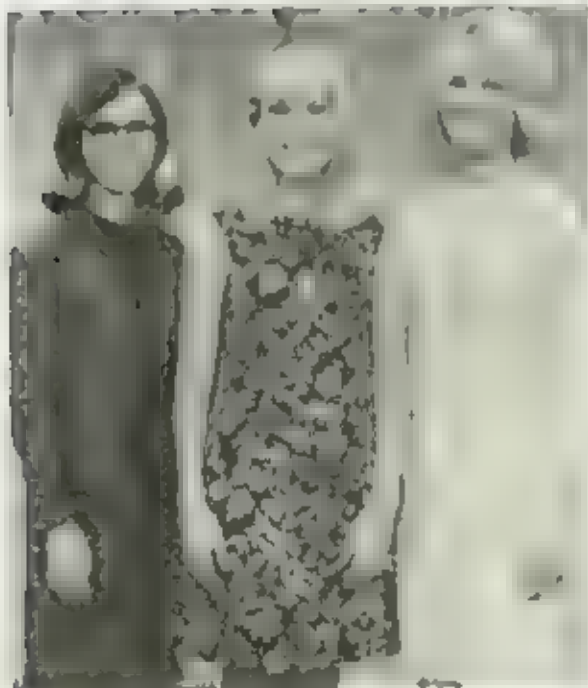
Phil Johnson
Tenor Voice



Dennis Wonderlich
Baritone Voice



Mark Curtis
Bass Voice

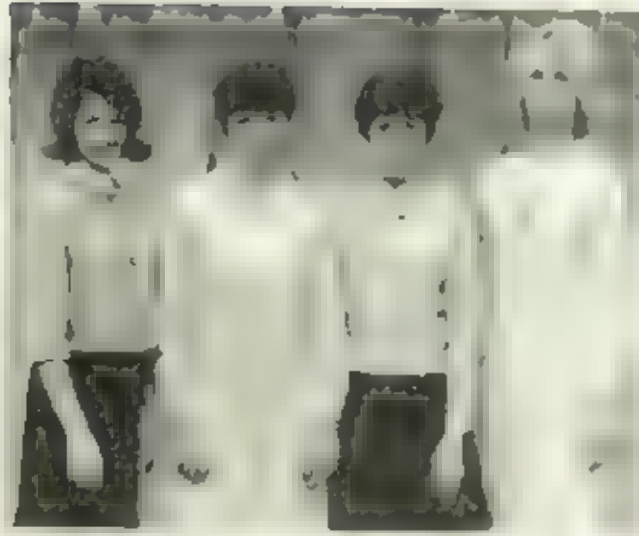


GIRLS' TRIO
Linda Bonnett, Mary Hoskins,
Terry Brown



GIRLS' TRIO
Peggy Stempel, Mary Beth Adam,
Cora Lea Scharff

Division I Rating Winners



GIRLS' QUARTET

Kortney Stenbeck, Joy Alam,
Mary Beth Adam, Terry Brown



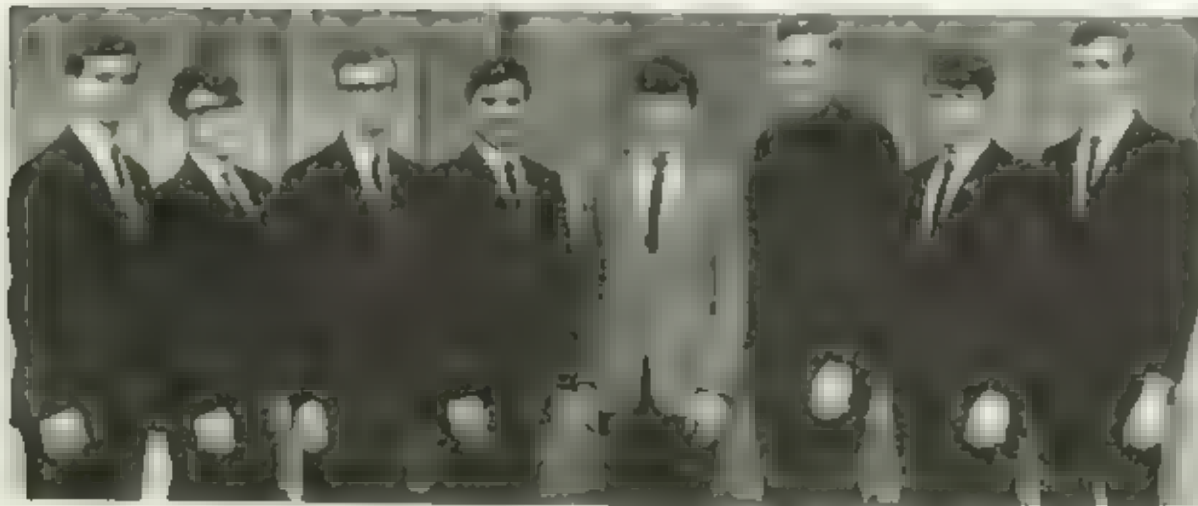
GIRLS' SEXTET

George Spray, Terry Chace, Jeanine Chace, Kathryn George, Cynthia
Baumgartner, Susan Williams



BOYS' QUARTET

Phil Johnson, Danny Zear, Dennis Woolums, Mark Curtis



DOUBLE BOYS' QUARTET

Phil Johnson, Dennis Bethards, Danny Zear, Terry Schreiner, Nathan Van Dyke, Korwin
Hinshaw, Dennis Bond, Ronnie Chace

Division I Rating Winners



MIXED DUET
Danny Zear, Mary Hoskins



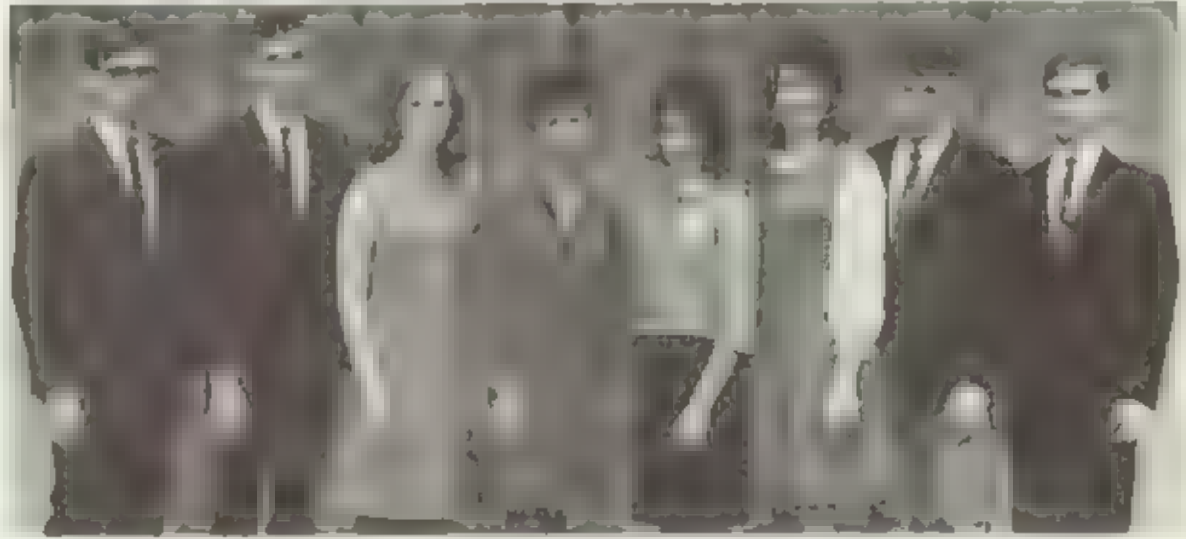
MIXED DUET
Linda Bonnett, Phil Johnson



MIXED QUARTET
Danny Zear, Linda Bonnett
Terry Brown, Mark Curtis



MIXED QUARTET
Dennis Wonderlich, Cynthia Baumgartner, Debbie
Gott, Phil Johnson



DOUBLE MIXED QUARTET
Dennis Wonderlich, Ronnie Chace, Cora Lea Scharff, Cynthia Baumgartner
Kortney Steinbeck, Cheryl Schreiner, David Lowenberg, Phil Johnson



MADRIGAL
Kortney Steinbeck, David Lowenberg, Cynthia Baumgartner, Mark Curtis, Kathryn
George, Danny Zear, Mary Hoskins, Dennis Woolums, Joy Adam, Phil Johnson, Martha
Neece, Dennis Wonderlich, Terry Brown



PEKIN HIGH SCHOOL

Front row (left to right) J. J. Moarer, Cynthia McCreery, Mary Small, Martha Neece. Second row: Leanne Seewert, Jeanne Charney, Miria Quack, Glenda Spray, Kathy Adams, Judy Albin, Annette Van Dyke. Third row: Kathryn George, Sharon Hackert, Mary Hoskins, Sandi Turey, Lynn Harrison, Marsha Neff, Susan Williams, Nancy Smith. Fourth row: Bob Adams, Phil Johnson, Danny Zarr, Nathan Van Dyke, Ronnie Charney, Steve Mitchell. Last Row: Dennis Wonderlich, Dennis Wonderlich, Dennis Bethards, David Lowenberg, Lloyd McKel. Standing: David Adams, Mr. Bethards, Director.

The instrumental department this year consisted of seventy students with sixty-one in Marching Band, sixty-two in Concert Band, thirty-nine in Pep Band, seventeen in Stage Band, and a Girls Drill Team of sixteen members.

The Concert Band was again this year the 'Pride of Pekin' receiving a Division I Rating from all three judges at State Large Group Contest for the third consecutive year.

From the Concert Band comes the personnel for all of the Pep Band and the Stage Band and most of the Marching Band. (A few Drill Team members who are not in Concert Band complete the Marching Band complement as twirlers.)

The Marching Band received the third place trophy at the Centerville Pancake Day celebration last September and received a Division II Rating at State Marching Band Contest.

At the State Contest for Solos and Small Groups, Pekin entered forty-two events this spring, receiving twenty-nine Division I Ratings for a percentage total of seventy percent. This enabled them for the third consecutive year, to be the school receiving more Division I Ratings than any other school at State Contest.



CONCERT BAND

Front row, left to right: Mary Beth Adam, Kathy Harrison, Joy Adam, Terry Brown. Second row: Janis Wenderlich, Marlene Bond, Terry Thacey, Carol Bethards, Sharrman Gott, Eddie Scott. Third row: Marshalene Stagers, Koonda Hackert, Gregory Curtis, Mark Curtis, Dennis Woollums, Beverly Bott, Linda Curtis, Peggy Stempel, Kortney Steinbeck. Fourth row: Larry Syder, Don Sanchez, Ronald Johnson, Steven Handy, Dennis Thomas, Steve Steinbeck. Last row: David Pfeider, Gary Derby. Standing: Sharon Adam, Macy Marshall, Kathy Lepp, Mary Sobaski, Larry Greiner.

The Band will lose twenty fine senior musicians from their ranks this year, the largest number to date, and we shall certainly miss them! These seniors have, through their efforts of the past four years, been a large factor in establishing the Pekin Instrumental Department as second to none. It should be a definite challenge to those who shall follow in their footsteps to uphold and maintain the splendid record of achievement which has been left to them, and to do their utmost in not allowing it to falter.

Mr. Harry F. Bethards is in charge of all instrumental activities, and is in his fourth year at Pekin.

The honor organization of the music department is the Lyre Club which had a membership of sixteen students this year, with ten seniors, five juniors, and one sophomore. All of these students are selected by their serious dedication to the music program and, in order to qualify for the club, must have demonstrated their scholastic abilities.

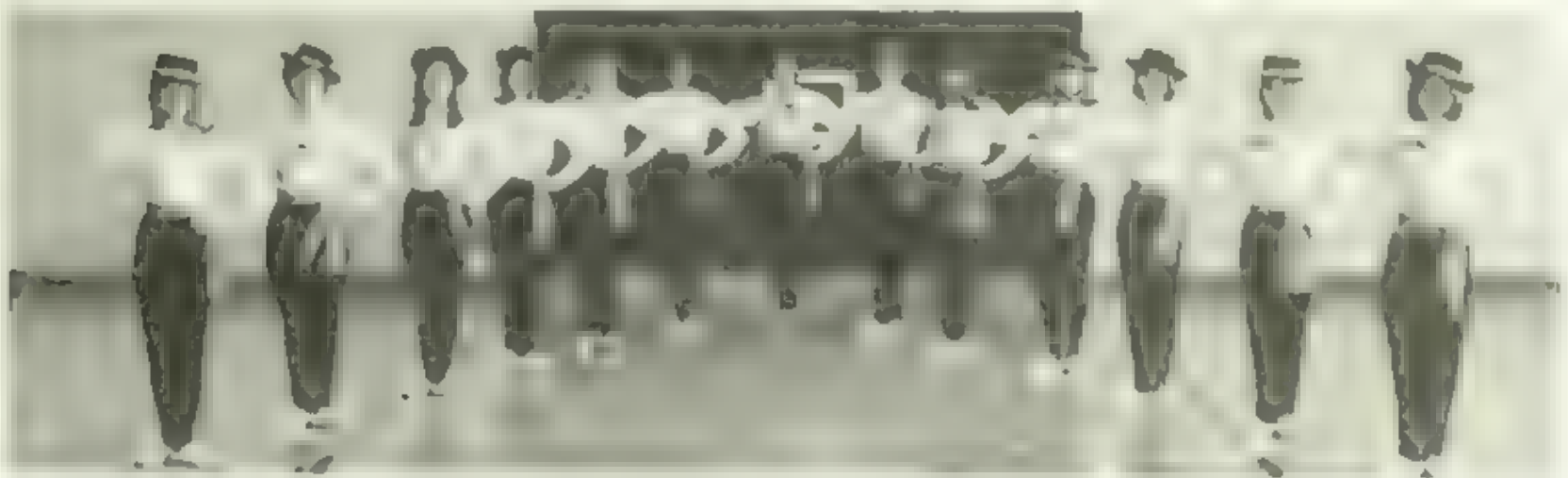
As the student leaders in the music department they aid in the adoption and the enforcement of the department policies.

Officers for the year were: Dennis Woollums, president; Joy Adam, vice president; Kortney Steinbeck, secretary-treasurer. Co-sponsors of the Lyre Club are Mr. Bethards, instrumental director, and Mrs. Woollums, vocal director.

MARCHING BAND



DRILL TEAM



Left to right: Carol Bethards, Debbie Sieren, Kathryn George, Mary Small, Mary Marshall, Kortney Steinbeck, Kathy Adam, Kathy Sievers, Pam Reynolds, Jill Mourer, Sharman Gott, Sandra Tuley, Judy Adrian, Absent, Rhonda Hackerl.

STAGE BAND



Seated at piano: Terry Brown. First row left to right: Linda Curtis, Kortney Steinbeck, Nancy Smith, Susan Williams, Dennis Woodams. Second row left to right: Ron Johnson, Richard Capps, Dennis Thomas, Steve Steinbeck, Bob Adam, Danny Zear, Phil Johnson, Larry Yoder. Third row left to right: Mr. Bethards, Dave Adam, Dennis Wunderlich, Dennis Bethards.

PEP BAND



First row left to right: Mark Neff, Amber McCarty, Mary Adam, Terry Brown. Second row L. to R.: Dennis Wonderlich, Lynn Harrison, Peggy Stender, Mary Hoskins, Sharon Harker, Dave Adam. Third row L. to R.: Dennis Bethards, Marsha Neff, Linda Curtis, Susan Williams, Nancy Smith, Dennis Woolums, Mr. Bethards. Fourth row L. to R.: Terry Chace, Caro Bethards, Sharon Galt, Joe Ayres, Kathy Adams, Dennis Wonderlich, Gloria Spry. Fifth row L. to R.: Gary Derby, David Pfeifer, Lloyd McKay, Rhonda Hackert, Marshalene Sagers. Sixth row L. to R.: Dennis Thomas, Richi Lipp, Ron Thomas, Greg Galt, Mark Curtis. Seventh row L. to R.: Don Sanchez, Larry Yader, Nathan Van Dyke, Steve Mitchell, Danny Zear, Phil Johnson.

LYRE CLUB



First row left to right: Susan Williams, Laine Sewert, Sharon Harker, Kortney Steinbeck, Mary Adam, Jeanne Chace, Terry Brown, Joy Adam, Nancy Smith. Second row L. to R.: Mrs. Woolums, Danny Zear, Phil Johnson, Dave Adam, Dennis Woolums, Mark Curtis, Bob Adam, Dennis Wonderlich, Mr. Bethards.

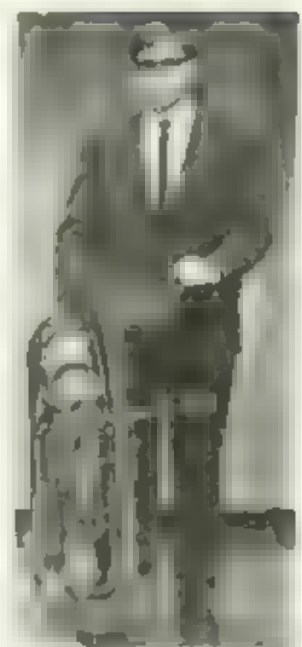
Division I Rating Winners



Terry Brown
Piano Solo



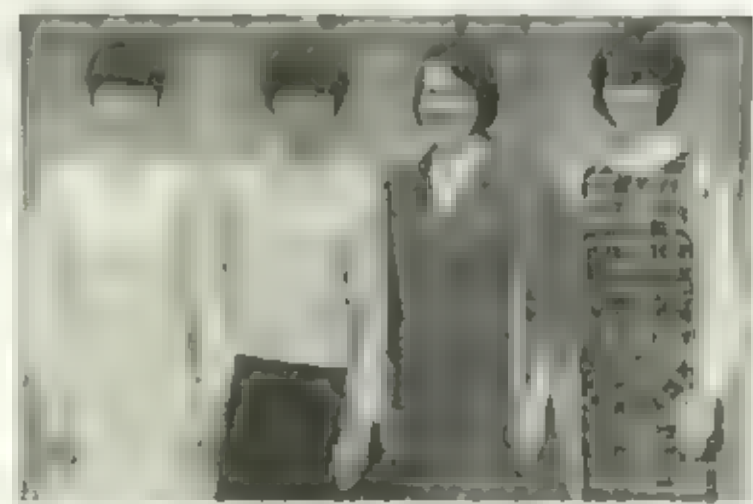
Dave Adam
Tympani Solo



Dennis Wunderlich
Taba Solo



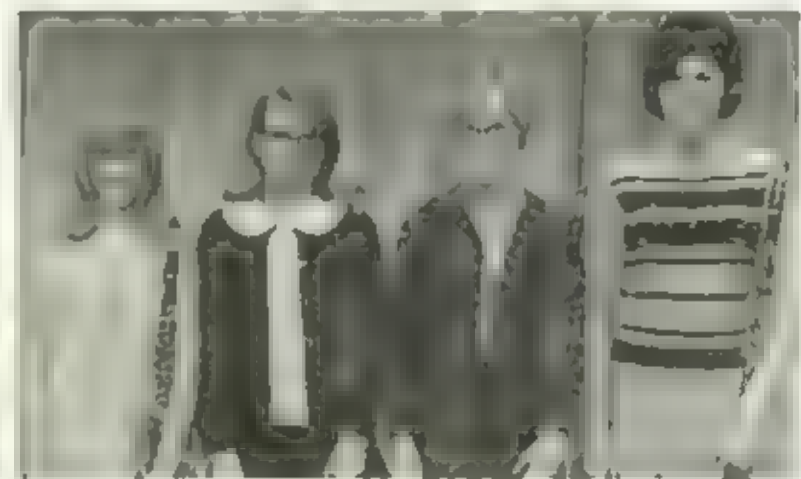
FLUTE TRIO
Terry Brown—accompanist, Liv Adam,
Mary Beth Adam, Martha Neece



FLUTE QUARTET
Liv Adam, Mary Beth Adam, Martha
Neece, Cynthia McCreary



CLARINET TRIO
Judy Adrian, Kathy Adam, Glenda Spray.



B FLAT CLARINET QUARTET
Carol Bethards, Glenda Spray,
Miriam Quick, Louise Seiwert



MIXED CLARINET QUARTET
Sharon Hackert, Lynn Harbison, Jeanne Chacey, Louise Seiwert

Division I Rating Winners



CLARINET CHOIR

Judy Adrian, Carol Bethards, Terry Chacey, Sharman Gott, Marlene Bond, Janice Wonderlich, Louise Seiwert, Mary Hoskins, Sharon Hackert, Kathy Adam, Glenda Spray, Miriam Quick, Jeanine Chacey, Kathryn George, Lynn Harbison. Absent: Sandra Tuley



WOODWIND QUARTET

Sharon Hackert, Joy Adam, Terry Brown, Louise Seiwert



WOODWIND QUINTET

Sharon Hackert, Joy Adam, Mark Curtis, Terry Brown, Louise Seiwert



SAXOPHONE DUET

Susan Williams, Nancy Smith



ALTO SAXOPHONE TRIO

Susan Williams, Dennis Woolums, Nancy Smith



TENOR SAXOPHONE TRIO

Linda Curtis, Peggy Stempel, Kortney Steinbeck



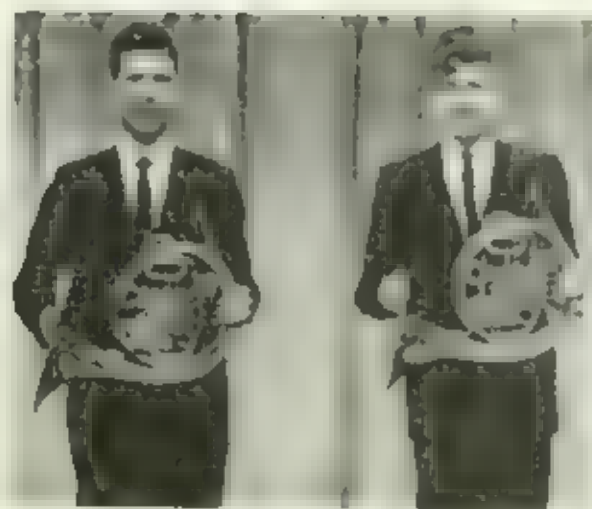
SAXOPHONE QUARTET

Nancy Smith, Susan Williams, Peggy Stempel, Dennis Woolums

Division I Rating Winners



SAXOPHONE SEXTET
Nancy Smith, Susan Williams, Marsha Neff, Peggy Stempel
Kortney Steinbeck, Beverly Bott



BRASS DUET
Mark Gillis, Greg Carus



BRASS DUET
Bob Adam, Dennis Wonderlich



CORNET TRIO
Terry Brown—accompanist, Bob Adam, Danny Zear, Phil Johnson



CORNET QUARTET
Bob Adam, Danny Zear, Phil Johnson, Nathan Van Dyke



TROMBONE TRIO
Terry Brown—accompanist, Steve Steinbeck
Dennis Thomas, Ron Johnson

Division I Rating Winners



BRASS QUARTET

Gary Derby, Bob Adam, Danny Zear, Steve Steinbeck

BRASS QUARTET

Mark Curtis, David Pfeifer, Nathan Van Dyke, Phil Johnson



BRASS QUINTET

Mark Curtis, Gary Derby, Dennis Wonderlich, Danny Zear, Bob Adam



BRASS SEXTET

Mark Curtis, Gary Derby, Dennis Wonderlich,
Danny Zear, Bob Adam, Steve Steinbeck

Division I Rating Winners



BRASS CHOIR

Marshaeene Stagers, Don Sanchez, Phil Johnson, Bob Adam, Ronnie Chacev, Mark Curtis, Dennis Wonderlich, Ron Johnson, Gary Derby, Steve Steinbeck



BRASS CHOIR

Rhonda Hackert, Nathan Van Dyke, Danny Zear, Larry Yoder, Steve Mitchell, Greg Curtis, Dave Pfeifer, Richard Capps, Dennis Thomas, Dennis Bethards



DRUM ENSEMBLE

Sharon Adam, Mary Marshall, Kathy Zepp, Dave Adam



PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

Kathy Zepp, Mary Sobaski, Sharon Adam, Dave Adam, David Lowenberg, Kathryn George, Mary Marshall



Down the field, eight to five!



To the rear - march!



Smile, you're on candid camera



Pekin's candidate for pancake queen



I'll bet I can outblow you all "



Music to show baskets by

"Fats" Bethards and "Hotlips" Woollums back up the pep band



"Oley!"



Rhonda and Jill play the part of the bull



Yes, Carol Lynn we see you



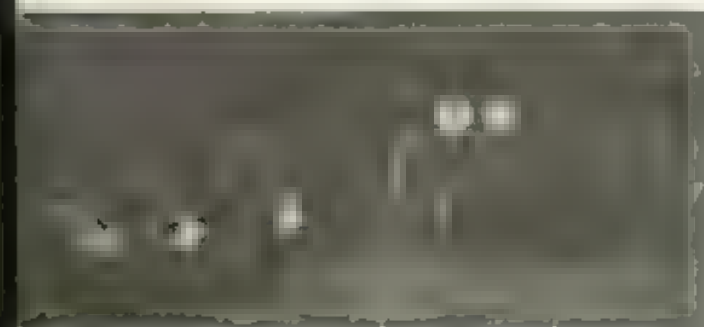
Round number of the continuous boat



Front seat back seat drivers



Cheerio



Our band played at Montezuma



1 year vocal letter winners.



We start the day with music at 8:45 A.M.



we end the day with music at 3:45 P.M.



There was a reception for Mrs. Woollums



she wore flowers



smiled.



and everyone enjoyed the "vittels"



4 year band letter winners



Full dress rehearsal for the marching band



Mrs. Woollams displays her gift presented at a faculty ladies Tea held in her honor.



Northeast Missouri State Teachers College Band from Karky. It was one of several visiting musical groups



Left to Right: Jim Steinbeck, Joel Fye, Terry Schreiner, Eddy Sievers and (insert) John Collett

The group of underclassmen that formed a rock-n-roll group, variously known as the Royal Teens, or the Daze and the Knights, often provided music for student events. They were also popular and in demand for area dances, but were especially helpful when a group was needed on short notice or for small, informal affairs. They also entertained basketball fans in the cafetorium during tournaments.



STUDENT COUNCIL



Front Row L. to R. Terry Schreiner, Mary Conger, George Blaine, Dave Adam, President Steve Allen, Vice President Margaret Cain, Debbie Conklin, Marilyn Weber. Second Row L. to R. John Cowen, Steve Reynolds, Bruce Dickens, Larry Smith, Gordon Mitchell, Batt Maher—Sponsor, David Bottorff, Steve Steinbeck, and Brent Reynolds

The Student Council at Pekin is headed by President and Vice President elected the previous spring by the entire student body. A Council representative chosen from each class and three students appointed by the faculty complete the student body government. The members of the Council are as follows: Mary Conger, Dennis Lock, Steve Reynolds, John Cowen, Terry Schreiner, Larry Smith, George Blaine, Debbie Conklin, Bruce Dickens, Dave Adam, President Steve Allen, Vice President David Bottorff, Margaret Cain, Secretary, Gordon Mitchell, Brent Reynolds, Steve Steinbeck, and Marilyn Weber.

Each year the Student Council helps to plan and to carry out many activities of our Homecoming. They sponsored a student dance at the close of the school year featuring the "Daze and the Knights." During the school year the members attended the State Convention held at Ames in the fall and our Southeast District Convention held at Ft. Madison in the spring. We would ask all students to remember that the Council attempts to carry out the wishes of the members of the student body. Let your representative know how you would like him to vote at the next Student Council meeting.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Front Row L. to R. Nancy Smith, Marvin Weber, Joy Adam, Cheryl Schreiner, Steve Steinbeck, Margaret Cain, Martha Neese, Mrs. Nell Gustafson. Second Row L. to R. Appelle Van Dyke, Bruce Dicken, Carol Brown, Delene Conklin, George Blaine, Peggy Stempel, Phil Johnson, Kortney Steinbeck, Chuck Lewis

The Torch Club Chapter of the National Honor Society of Secondary Schools at Pekin Community High School operates under chapter 7367. The founders of this National Honor Society established it to stimulate high scholarship, constructive leadership, purposeful service, and worthy character of the students in the secondary schools of this country. This local chapter has as members students who possess the above four outstanding characteristics. These students are chosen through the entire faculty and finally approved by a chapter council composed of the Principal, Counselor, Sponsor, and the two other faculty members. Membership to this organization does not represent outstanding ability or skill in a single endeavor but an overall accomplishment. Each chosen member wears a pin bearing an emblem recognized the world over for outstanding high school achievement. A gold seal bearing this emblem is placed on each diploma of a graduating senior belonging to this chapter. The names of all members in good standing are found on the permanent record, not only at our high school but in the files of the National Honor Society in Washington, D.C.

The officers for the 1966-67 were as follows: Cheryl Schreiner, President; Steve Steinbeck, Vice President; Joy Adam, Secretary; Margaret Cain, Treasurer.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT

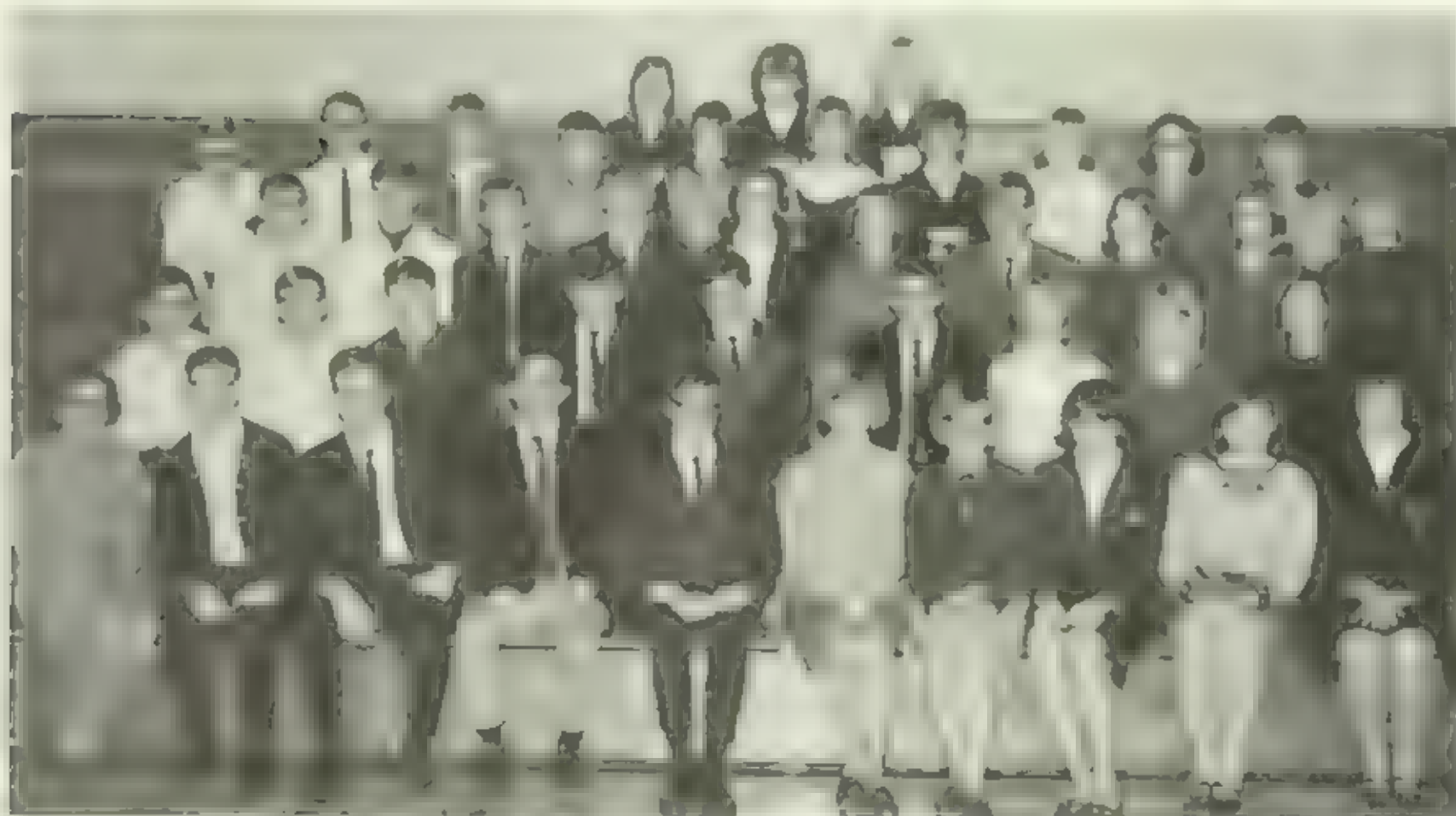
This year Pekin has had a foreign exchange student on its roll. The project was conducted in cooperation with the International Christian Youth

Exchange through the Richland Methodist Church. Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Steinbeck made their home available and their daughter, Kortney, acted as her American sister. Miss Marion Miedreich of Kirchheimbolanden, West Germany, was sent to us and was enrolled as a senior. Marion quickly adjusted to our routine, took part in our activities, and was in great demand as a speaker at clubs and gatherings throughout the area. The program was so successful that arrangements have been made to continue it next year with a West Germany boy, being sent to us in July.



Marion Miedreich

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA



FRONT ROW (left to right) Mrs. Stuebel, sponsor; Phil Johnson, Mark Curtis, Charles Williams, George Blaine, Treasurer, Mark Peterson, Secretary, Nancy Smith, president, Mary Beth Adams, vice-president, Joy Adam, Cheryl Schenckel.
SECOND ROW (left to right) Emily Lowenberg, Cary Williams, Mark Stein, David Lowenberg, David Allen, Dennis Williams, Richard Clancy, Sarah Jones, Kathryn George, David Row (left to right) Rod Wierzbos, Steve Mitchell, Dennis Belmont, Beverly Green, Gena Schmitt, Becky Adams, Dennis Wierzbosch, Martha Neese, Mary Smith, Linda Curtis.
THIRD ROW (left to right) Chuck Lewis, David Proffert, Susan Williams, Norman Northrup, Kathy Harbison, Peggy Stempel. **Fourth row** (left to right) Marian Quack, Mary White, Beverly Best. **FIFTH ROW** (left to right) Linda Tunes, Marlene Bond, and Mary Hoskins.

This past year has been a busy one for Pekin Future Teachers. In November the F.T.A. traveled to Mid Prairie for the District Convention. George Blaine successfully ran for District President. Next year this convention will be held at Pekin.

April Fools Day was the date of the State Convention held at North High in Des Moines. The Pekin Chapter had a special reason for attending the convention. It was held under the leadership of the State President, a fellow F.T.A.'er, Miss Joy Adam (pictured lower left).

The last three months of school the Pekin F.T.A. was in charge of the concession stand, our chief money making project for the year.

In April Teaching Career Month, a tea was held for the faculty and the annual F.T.A. assembly was presented with Dr. Carl Chrysler, a professor at Parsons College, as guest speaker.

Each quarter F.T.A.ers served as teachers' assistants, relieving the teachers of various tasks. From this experience the students got glimpses of the various responsibilities and duties of a teacher. During the year junior and senior F.T.A. members substituted throughout the school system for various elementary teachers. This was always an experience to remember.

An exchange of visits was held in the spring with the F.T.A. club from Keota.

Officers elected for the coming year are: Mary Adam, President; Norman Northrup, Vice President; Kathy Harbison, Secretary; and Peggy Stempel, Treasurer.





Adam talks to Mr. and Mrs. Roberto Areces. He was principal speaker at the State F T A convention where presided. Mr. Areces is a Cuban refugee who is now an American Citizen.



Pekin and Waco F T A officers



Virginia Small, president of State Sponsors of F T A, presides at the annual business meeting of State Sponsors at North in Des Moines.



Mr. King addresses the Waco student body as the local chapter installed the newly elected officers of their newly established chapter. Mr. King was speaking as TEPS chairman of the S E District. A former Pekin graduate Mr. Dale Cox, was sponsor of the Waco chapter.



This fall our chapter had a picnic for the children of the Mortally Retarded School near Sigourney. This proved so successful and entertaining to the children that a Christmas Party was held at their school Dec. 23. The children were delighted that Santa Clause could be there, too.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



Front Row L. to R. Cora Scharff, Reporter, Beverly Blaine, Glenda Spray, Secretary, Carol Brown, President, Marsha Stages, Vice President, Mary Dickens, Treasurer, Susan Haden, District Representative, Sharon E. Moore, Second Row L. to R. Linda Andrews, Lucinda Wenderich, Barbara Bellery, Twila Keiser, Mary Letts, Sylvia Reynolds, Vicki Arlway, Karen Blum, La Cox, Mrs. Louise Baca, Sponsor. Back row L. to R. Diana Davis, Beverly Molkenthan, Nancy Blake, and Delores Spray.

The over all goal of the organization is to help individuals improve personal, family and community living now and in the future. The motto is "Toward New Horizons".

This is the Pekin Chapter's fifth year of organization.

The activities have been varied in trying to carry out the goals. They have included a "Ma and Me" pot-luck supper followed by a professional demonstration of cake decorating, making and sending favors to nursing homes, decorating student lounge for Christmas, and giving a farewell party for our senior members.





Mary Letts demonstrates that there is more than one way to view a "subject"



We decorated the Christmas tree



in the student lounge (Also see bottom of opposite page)



Mrs. Baca refills the punch bowl. Cindy Chambers models her beachcomber

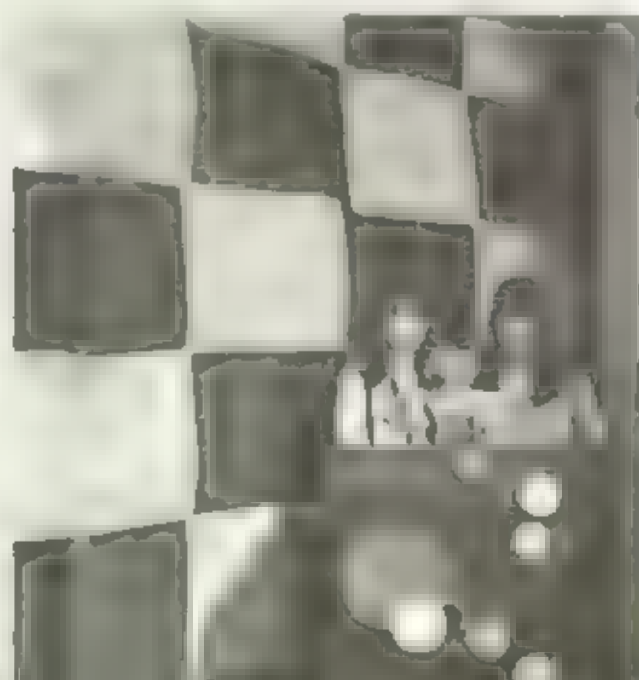


Karen Blaine brought a friend . .



Sylvia Reynolds brought her sister

Narrators were Donna Sasseen and Pam Reynolds.



Tea was served in the home-ec room

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



First Row L to R: Roger Wonderlich, Ernest Cayin, Bob Kleinschmidt, Mike Mitchen, Verle Jackson, Tom Haskins, Charles Williams. Second Row L to R: Mr. Kenneth Redmann, Sponsor, Chris Wonderlich, Treasurer, John Callan, Reporter, Gary Derby, President, Dan Norris, Vice-President, Ken Redmann, Secretary, Dan Rogers, Sgt-at-Arms, Kortney Steinbeck, Queen of the FFA. Third Row L to R: Verne Wonderlich, John Hatanes, Norman Northrup, Dennis Bond, Tim Parsons, Craig Peck, David Snoddy, Steve Stieren, Gerry Northrup, Tim Jacobs, Larry Schiske, Charles Meacham, Robert Crawford, Ronald Reimer, and Rex Reimer.

The Pekin Chapter of the Future Farmers of America has completed another successful year. In April 1967, Tim Parsons received a silver rating in Creed Speaking at the state level. The Chapter sold over \$300.00 worth of garden seeds. The FFA Parent and Son Banquet was held in March. Don Warren, who has a morning program on Radio Station WHO, Des Moines, was the guest speaker. Over 110 people attended the banquet. In October the Chapter sponsored the annual Harvest Ban. Kortney Steinbeck was selected as Harvest Queen, and over 175 people attended.

This year the chapter managed to place \$500.00 in a savings account for emergency use if it ever becomes necessary. The plots were planted and all the signs painted by the farm management class. This year the Chapter is experimenting with hybrid beans, high population corn, fertility levels in corn, Amsoy beans and ten different oat varieties.

The Pekin Chapter of Future Farmers sponsored a delicious chili supper for all Green Hands and other members in October. Eighty-five members and parents attended the supper.



Here are some green hands dressed for initiation.



Dick Swenson and Norman Gott of the Young Farmer Program paint a tractor.

STUDENT LIBRARIANS



First Row L. to R. Connie Stansberry, Becky Adam, Sally Taylor, Rhonda Hackert. Second Row L. to R. Beverly Blaine, Annette Van Dyke, Carolyn Hughes, Dianna Luttenegger, Cora Scharff, and Lucinda Wonderlich.

The student librarians give one period each day to assist with such routine chores as checking out books and taking care of card files. This allows the Librarian freedom to assist students who need help in locating materials on various subjects. In other words she can spend her time as a librarian rather than as a clerk. These volunteer students contribute a great deal to the efficiency of the most important learning center of our school.

This year, for the first time, the girls organized into a club and joined the Iowa Student Librarian Association. Most of them, along with the sponsor, Mrs. King, were able to attend the state convention of Student Librarians held at North High School in Des Moines. No doubt appointments as Student Librarians will become more popular as their work and contributions become more apparent to the student body. Such volunteer help will also become more necessary as the research materials in the Library become more abundant.

Becky Adam and Sally Taylor stand behind the check-out desk. These two senior girls served as leaders of the Student Librarians during their first year of organization.



BUSINESS CLUB



Front Row L. to R. Betty Galt, Mrs. Lere Bloomfield, Sponsor, Sally Taylor, Secretary and Treasurer, Louise Seiwert, Vice President, Myrna Caviness, President, Myrna Caviness, Second Row L. to R. Jean Downey, Naomi Chalupa, Landa Curtis, Susan Williams, Marlon, Michael, Muriel, Roger, Linda Andrews, Marilyn Weber, Third Row L. to R. Sheryl Schreiner, Linda Sheets, Gerald Spray, Sandra Lucy, Kathy Savers, Ronald Stanley, and Betty Granaman

The Business Club is composed of students who are interested in obtaining employment in the Business World after graduation

To be a member of the Business Club, a student must have an overall C average with a B average in business courses. The student must also have taken or be enrolled in two business courses

At the beginning of the year, the Business Club had only three members and later this year, they increased to twenty-three members

Some of the activities of the year were the initiation of new members, a Business Club picnic at Mrs. Bloomfield's house, and they ordered Business Club pins. The main purpose of each meeting this year concerned how to go about applying for a job, and what to do and what not to do during an interview

NEWSPAPER STAFF



Seated: Pat Lerby, Mark Morris, David Belforth, David Lowenberg, Naomi Chalupa, Cheryl Schreiner, Dennis Wanderlich, Dennis Belforth, and Brown, Pat Adams, Mary Small, Susan Hackert, Stirling, Linda Curtis, Mrs. Loretta Bloomfield. Sponsor, Annette Van Dyke, Martha Neece, and Mrs. Virginia Small.

The **Pekin Spotlight** is published bi-weekly by the students of Pekin Community High School. The staff is chosen by sponsors, Mrs. Small and Mrs. Bloomfield, after each aspirant has submitted a sample of his writing. There is a concerted effort on the part of the staff members to include news and pictures of all events during the school year. A popular feature of the paper is the column "Paw Prints." Occasionally, editorials and feature stories are included on topics of current interest. This year, for the first time, the **Spotlight** was made available to all students without cost. Cooperation among staff members, students, faculty members and administration makes the publication of this paper possible. A special appreciative word goes to Mr. Ralph Jones and Mr. Kenneth Webber, who print the **Pekin Spotlight**. One method of financing was by sponsoring skating parties at the Ottumwa rink.

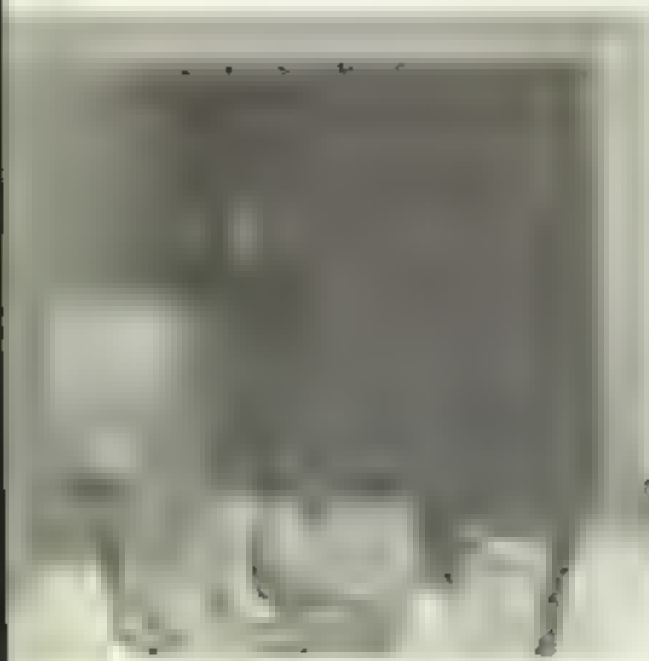


Pekin students try their skills at Skateland



ASSEMBLIES

Frequent assemblies were held which were quite varied in nature. These pictures will indicate how diverse they were



Dr. Kreisler of Parsons College, talks to the FTA Assembly



A visiting missionary brings a geography lesson



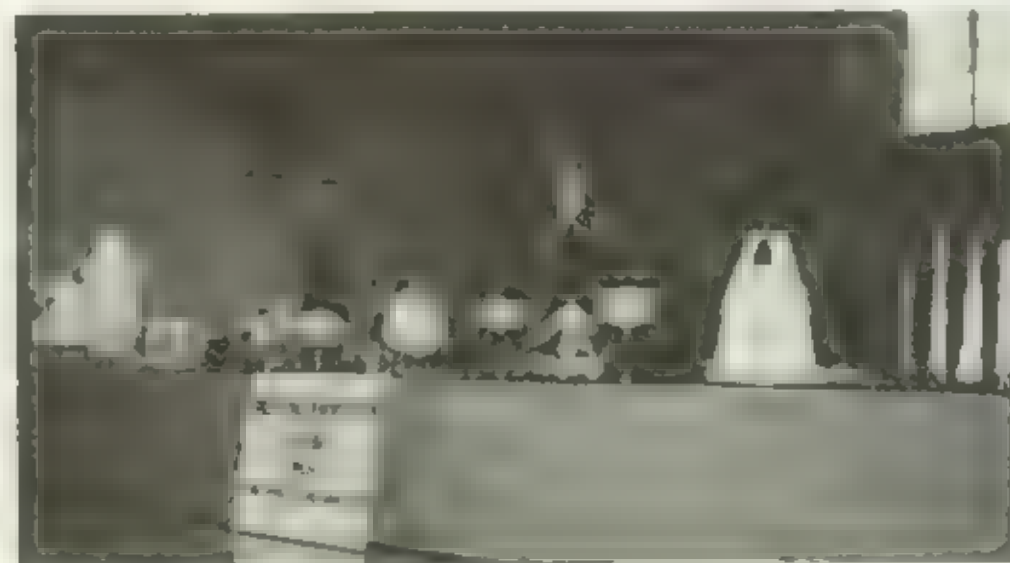
The Speech Class presented the "Lottery," its division I rated play



A young puppeteer displays her talents



Danny Rogers receives the American Citizenship Certificate at the Award Assembly Mr. Harry Snakenburg represents the Keokuk County Bar Association



NASA sent a representative . . . for a space science demonstration

INSIDE THE CLASSROOM



Mr. Reed's Shop 1 boys seem intent on their drawing projects



Drinking their own "concoction" doesn't seem to frighten the Home Ec boys



Mr. Staton gives a Government test



Dwight Best prepares for his turn at the wheel of the Drivers-Ed car



Biology projects line the stage at tests time.



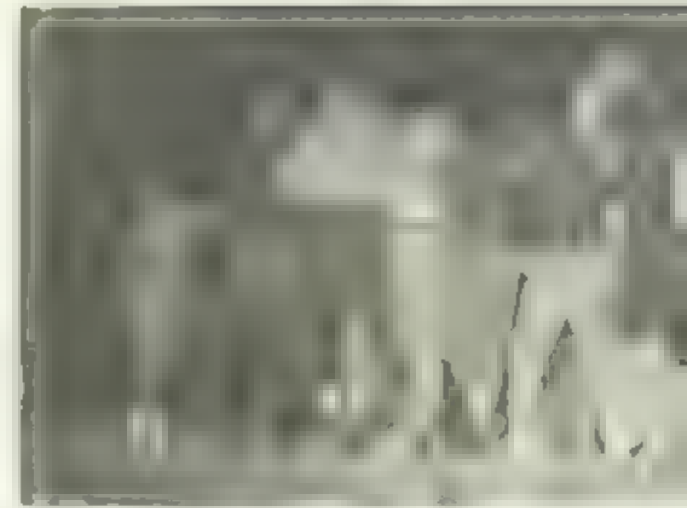
Mary Letts adds some "style" to the Home-Ec style show



A lonely Art student works on his project. (David McVay)

SPEECH ACTIVITIES

The ability to communicate orally did not escape notice at Pekin. In addition to regular classroom training, the various class plays and contest work all tended to develop this ability. Three of our students received Division I ratings for individual contest numbers as did the play, THE LOTTERY



The tumultuous finale of THE LOTTERY caught most of the audience unprepared

Division I Rating Winners



The art of make-up changed a small boy into a jolly green giant



Mark Curtis
Original oratory



Linda Curtis
Oratorical
Declamation



George Blaine
Dramatic
Declamation



Students frequently found opportunities to use any abilities they might have acquired from their speech classes.



The ability to express herself brought considerable prominence to Linda Tuley

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

SQUARE DANCING

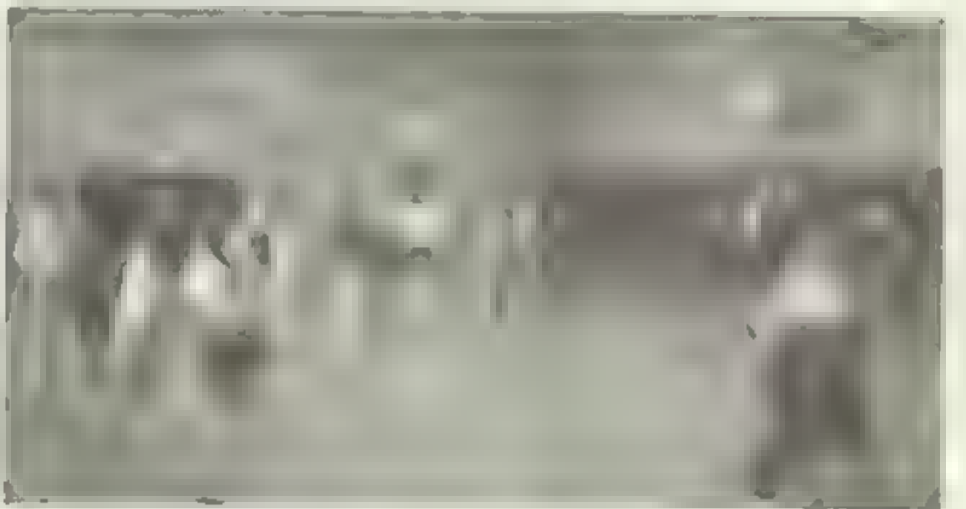
A popular unit of the physical education program was the one which involved square dancing. Although some were reluctant at first, most students found it to be a popular pastime as well as good exercise.



Some of the steps.



when picked up.



and got faster and



faster until they "oops!"

MATH CLUB



From L. to R. Dennis Wonderlich, Ed Scharff, Greg Curtis, Mr. Morlan, sponsor, Mark Curtis, Bob Adams, Dennis Woolums, Tom Reed, Bruce Dickens, George Blaine, Chuck Lewis, and Martha Niece



Mr. Curtin Morlan
Sponsor

The purpose of the Math Club is to have fun with math. Meetings are held where one member is responsible for leading a discussion on some phase of mathematics.

Members are required to maintain a B average in math and to be in the third semester of some math course.



Mr. Glen Foster
Sponsor

The Science Club is made up of science students who have at least a B average in science. Its purpose, among other things, is to give members a chance to further explore those aspects of science which are not covered by classroom work. Their exploration takes the form of further research, demonstrations, class projects, etc.



First Row L. to R. Dennis Wonderlich, Martha Niece, Linda Curtis, Ed Curtis. Second Row Mark Curtis, Ed Scharff, Dennis Woolums, Tom Reed, Bruce Dickens. Rear Mr. Foster, Sponsor

MORE FACULTY SCENES



Mr. King urges all teachers to "support the year book" (He may also have mentioned TEPS.)



Faculty members can get just as hungry as anybody else.



Someday I hope you will get big enough to dress yourself.



Mr. Kenneth Wells, executive secretary of S.E.A., addressed one of our faculty meetings.



The school board were our guest at a dinner meeting at Iowa Tech.

CUSTODIAL, SECRETARIAL AND...



Dwain Sutton



Gilbert Schrepfer



Silvalona Lowenberg



Betty Emmack

Some very vital services are performed by many people other than the certificated personnel. The comfort and pleasure that comes from neat and clean surroundings is due to the efforts of our custodians. The smoothness and efficiency with which the many operations which require mountains of paper work are concluded depend upon the secretarial staff. Pekin is fortunate to have the caliber of employees they do in these areas.

Mr. Dwain Sutton has been here since before the building was completed. His continued tenure attests to the satisfactory manner in which he has carried on. He was joined this year by Mr. Gilbert Schrepfer who came from a long term of employment by the Harmony School District. Our building never fails to get complimentary remarks from those who visit it.

Mrs. Silvalona Lowenberg acts as office secretary where her duties are many and varied. Thousands of dollars are handled as a result of the sale of school lunch tickets, athletic equipment, pictures, concessions, items and so forth, and from book rentals, gate receipts, and many other sources. The bookkeeping job is time consuming and there are also letters to type, athletic contracts, and officials contracts to process and many other details that are incidental to a student and faculty population of over 300 individuals.

Mrs. Betty Emmack serves as a "roving" secretary, spending some time at each of the three elementary centers and spends two days a week at the high school where she assists the Counselor with pupil data involving grades, transcripts, and vital statistic records.

These two boilers require a great deal of "knowhow" on Dwain's part!



Gilbert Schrepfer

SCHOOL LUNCH EMPLOYEES



Marian Cox



Pauline Ward



Gladys Bennett



Bernice Hutton

With school lunch programs being an integral part of our school routine, these employees are subject to rules and regulations which insure a high standard of competence and performance. Personnel are selected with care and state inspections are a matter of routine. Mrs. Edna Shy continues to act in a supervisory capacity for the five programs of the five programs of the district as she has done for the past six years. In addition to those pictured on this page, Mrs. Margaret Mixsch helped out for a period of approximately two months while Mrs. Thelma Schreiner was a frequent substitute whenever needed. Statistics concerning the school lunch program served to indicate that this area of school procedure has grown to be "big business."



Edna Shy

Wain changes the scoreboard while Gib offers advice from the doorway. (Dennis Thomas just minds his own business.)



Mrs. Lowenburg dispenses some pictures ordered by . . . can you identify her? (It's Rhonda Hacker!)

FREQUENT VISITORS

While not directly connected with our staff, there were certain individuals whose frequent visits contributed much to the efficiency and pleasantness of our day. We are picturing some of them on these pages because they were such a familiar part of our school year that we would not want to forget them.



Mr. Bob Carr delivered milk and other dairy products daily for Wapello Dairy. He also sometimes enjoyed a cup of coffee while chatting with other employees in the school.



Mr. L. E. Ahrens, this pleasant fellow came every Thursday morning to stock our procession stand. His wife and two daughters often helped make this stand a popular place at lunch periods and during ball games.



Our mail was delivered regularly from the Packwood post office by Mr. Walter Clark. He has served this school since it was built and sometimes the loads are quite heavy. In many occasions, he must come all the way into the office to complete a delivery.

SLOPPY DAY

Pekin students have always prided themselves upon being well-dressed, but they did go along with a popular trend and designated one day as 'Sloppy Day'. The pictures below indicate the results, and most Pekin students agreed they wouldn't want it for a steady diet!



ALUMNI IN VIET NAM

Many of our alumni are in the armed forces. We want to pay tribute to them all and especially those who are stationed in the combat areas. The pictures on this page are the best ones that were available to us. We hope they will indicate to all our interest in them and the contribution they are making to our welfare and security.



L. Cpl John Sasseen
1st Marine Division



Pfc Alor Lowenberg
1st Inf. Division



Pfc Robert McCormick
3rd Marine Division



Steven Rusk HM3
1st Hosp. Co. 1st Marine Div



Sgt. Mike Hadley
47 Inf. Division

SCATTER PAGES

While collecting pictures to help us compile a complete record of the past school year we had a great number submitted which do not fit easily into any particular section. We feel however that many of them will help us achieve our purpose. Accordingly the next few pages will be referred to as Scatter-Pages. We will attempt to caption each so that it will have meaning to more than those who are pictured. It is our belief that many will find the pages to be the most interesting ones in the book.

The Staff



Following the basketball season, the squad was honored by the Fairfield Rotary Club at a luncheon served at the Fairfield Country Club. The girls were presented with this cake as the Rotarians' tribute to the fine record they had compiled.



The Boat We Didn't Get

Junior Class Prom committee members were dismayed when learned the arrangements they had made for a cruise in connection with the Junior Senior Prom were canceled when the owner of the boat pictured above. However, luck was with them and made arrangements for the TOM SAWYER pictured elsewhere in this book. Bruce Dickens, Mrs. King, Kortney Steinbeck and Carl Blaine stand at the rail above as they inspected the boat during the early spring.



Quitting lovers are not the only ones who make-up. The seniors do it for their class play.

An 'inside' view of the concession stand manned by Mrs. Small (She did most of the time.)



Mothers take note - your sons can help you in the kitchen' (Boys Home Ec class)



The Foks Scholarship Awards Dinner found three Fairbie and four Fokn students among those receiving prizes. Pictured above left to right are Janet Gustason, Kenny Waugh, Mike Johnson, Cheryl Schreyer, Steve Allen, Steve Steinbeck, Margaret Cain, and Mr. Robert Pope, a Fairbie resident who is the donor of the Foks Scholarship.



The Senior Play Cast takes a bow.



Letter Club takes a bow.

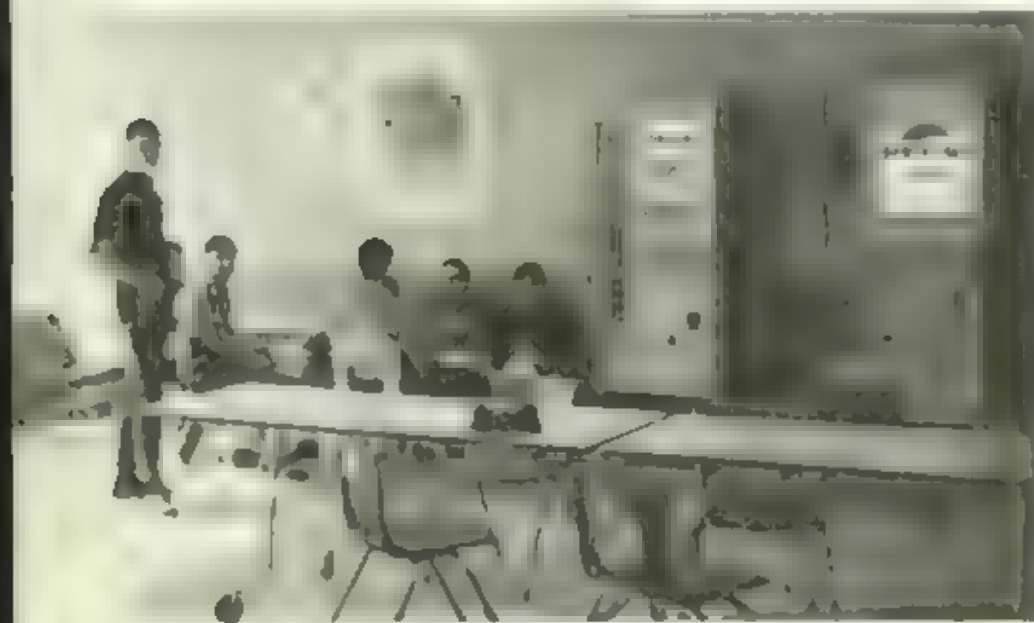


These members were starters.

Junior-high wrestling practice



The dance floor on the first deck of the "Tom Sawyer" was kept busy during our cruise



Surely this sign could not be referring to this group



One "Caterpillar" who soon developed a desire to hear this band playing



Thus Ed sitting down can be strenuous



This crew helped make it possible for lunch lines to move quite rapidly



This full parking lot indicates the strong support the Panthers received



No comment



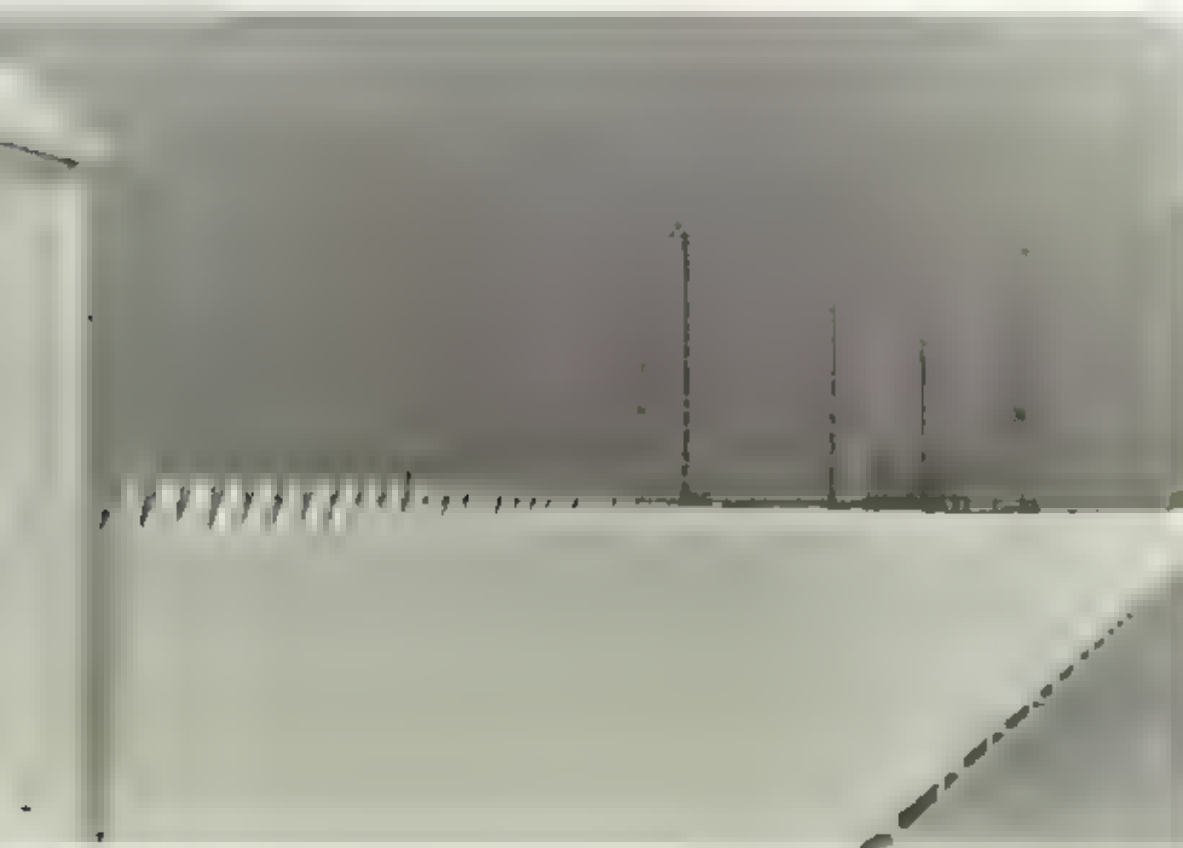
Carrying away the results of four years hard labor



The concessions stand did a live & business during each of the two lunch periods



We still think Allen had the best part in the Senior Play



During the summer of 1966 this fence and entrance was built in front of the athletic areas. In addition to being an improvement of the appearance of the area, it helps make crowds much more manageable

AN OUTSTANDING RECORD



Miss Jean Downey, Class of 1967, has compiled an outstanding attendance record to date. She has been present every day since she started to kindergarten in Richland thirteen years ago. She has received a perfect attendance certificate at the close of each year. She is shown above receiving one for thirteen years of perfect attendance from Mr. King, high school principal, at the Awards Assembly that closed our school year on April 26, 1967. Many students watched Jean's record with interest and we all congratulate her for this unusual accomplishment.



The cooks set this lovely table in honor of the seniors during their final days of school. This is an annual honor tendered the graduates by the cooks.



Joy speaks at the Waco FTA installation

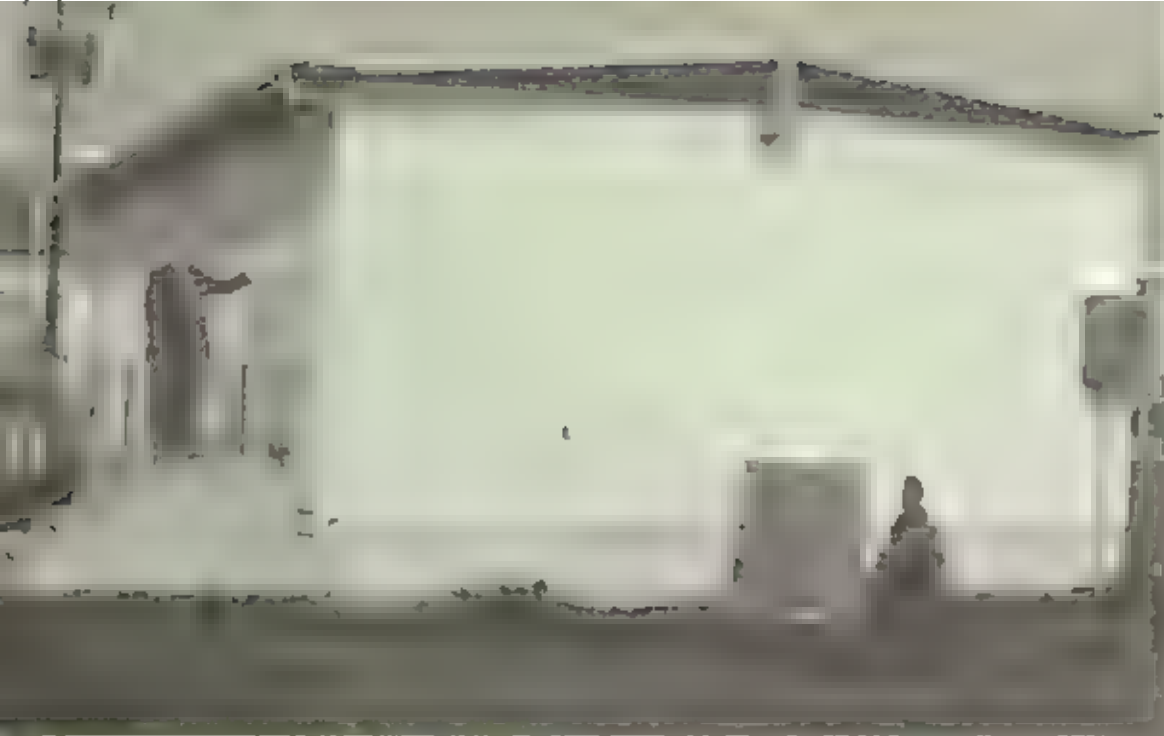
PEKIN COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL
HIGHLAND VS. PEKIN
HERE
WED NITE



The attractive sign on our front lawn receives many complimentary remarks as well as some envious ones. It creates a good impression for the school before visitors even arrive on the campus.



It seems that women are always looking up to me.



MOBILE CLASSROOM

In late August of 1966 the facility pictured above was installed just north of the library entrance to our main building. Although described as "mobile", the trucks have been parked away and it has been set for an indefinite stay. Used for art and remedial reading the past year, it can be adopted to any classroom use. It is electrically heated and air conditioned and provides some much needed space.



Someone senses there is a cameraman in the area.



The teenage driving rodeo found Mary Beth Adam and Rick Elkins in attendance and our roving cameraman found them.



Many thrills resulted from our skating parties as indicated by Mrs. Bloomfield's happy smile (above), and the elated door prize winner, Vernon Reinier of Ollie below.



In addition to whatever else Carol Ann may have, one must admit that in this instance she has attention.



This Is NO Gag

Janice Wender actually caught her skirt accidentally in a friend's locker to which she didn't know the combination. Shrieks and gasps of laughter brought the camera-man after which her friends deserted her to the humorous position pictured above.



No action on the mat at the moment



Guess whose boy is wrestling now?



These Are NOT Masks!

Only Becky (Adam) and Louise (Stewart) would submit a picture like this



Dan Rogers must have scored another pin!



No wonder it took so long to get the gym floor finished



Note the body English these fans are applying



TRANSPORTATION

Transportation of students is a big operation in a district that covers 222 square miles. The maintenance of a fleet of some two dozen vehicles which must be ready to operate during all kinds of weather involves considerable responsibility. Pekin's drivers nor students have never been involved in any major accident. The "bus barn" (picture below) is the workshop of chief mechanic, Harold Schrader (picture to left). It is exceptionally well equipped and Harold knows how to use all of it. The result is that stalled buses are soon moving and few Pekin students are late. A year round program of maintenance and replacement provide Pekin with a smoothly operation transportation system.

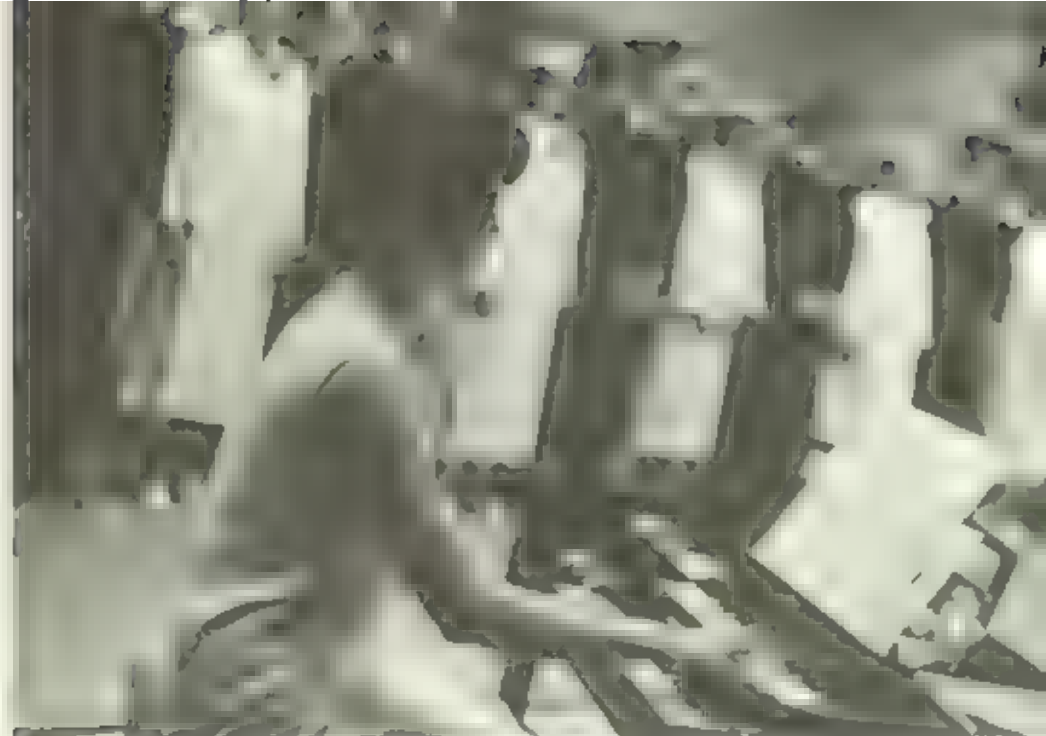


SCORER AND TIMER

We are going to sing the praises of the two "unsung heroes" of many of our athletic contests. Without the volunteer help of Russell Bond and Carl Mitchell, the athletic director and coaches would be subjected to many inconveniences. We hope they understand how much we appreciate their giving of their time and talents in the interest of Pekin athletics.

ROMAN BANQUET

The Latin classes staged a Roman Banquet with decoration and dress in keeping with the theme—as illustrated above and below



A talented musician like Mrs. Woodruff will find her talents in demand



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY ASSEMBLY

These students were inducted into the National Honor Society at its annual assembly. They are from L. to R.: Annette Van Dyke, Bruce Dickerson, Peggy Stempel, Debbie Conklin, Kortney Steinbeck, Carol Ann Brown, Chuck Lewis, George Blaine, Phil Johnson, all juniors and Margaret Cui, senior.

Below Cheryl Schreiner summarizes the "ladder to success" after others had spoken concerning the cards used for the various rungs.

A general view of the Junior-Senior Banquet





Mrs. Lowenberg, office secretary, fills one of the many demands for lunch tickets for Cora Lea Scharff



Everybody watches Eddie while Eddie watches the birdie



no subject there conversing is, I like them in school



The Suttons and the Schrepters converse for a moment following commencement



... would get more done if the cameraman could quite bothering us

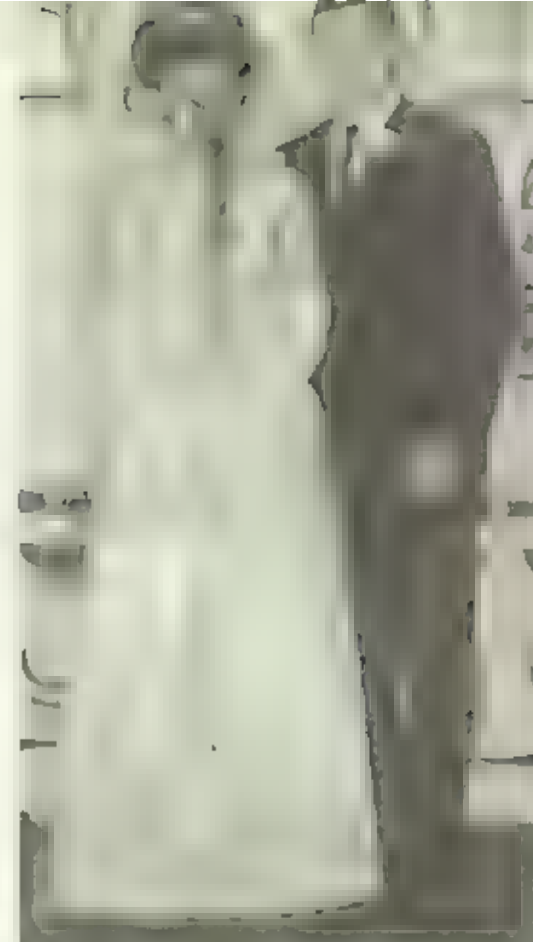


The 1966 Panther Relay Queen, Francine Fye, (left) has transferred her crown to the 1967 queen, Margaret Cain (center) Others include attendants, Mary Conger, freshman, Mary Beth Adam, junior, and Patsy Dumont, sophomore.



THE CAVINESS SISTERS

L. to R. Margaret, senior, Mynra, junior, Trudy, sophomore, Rita, freshman. Two families were represented in each of the four classes at our school during the past year. The pleasant smiles displayed in these two pictures indicate the pleasure we all experienced at having them here.



Now who would have desecrated this picture ... and why?



THE BLAINES

L. to R. Karen, freshman, Larry, sophomore; George, junior, Beverly, senior.



Now I want you to go out and catch me some spy.



Our sons should know better than to be fighting like this.



Offering a few words of advice in advance of the commencement speaker.

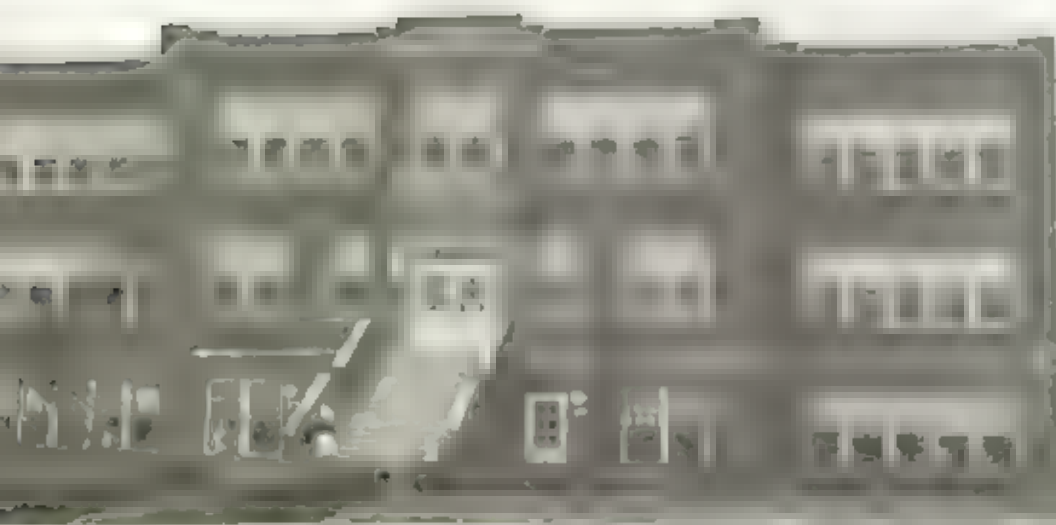


FARSON
ATTENDANCE CENTER

HOLLIE
ATTENDANCE CENTER



ELEMENTARY ATTENDANCE CENTERS



PACKWOOD
ATTENDANCE CENTER

RICHLAND
ATTENDANCE CENTER



FARSON ATTENDANCE CENTER



Mr. Keith Sasseen

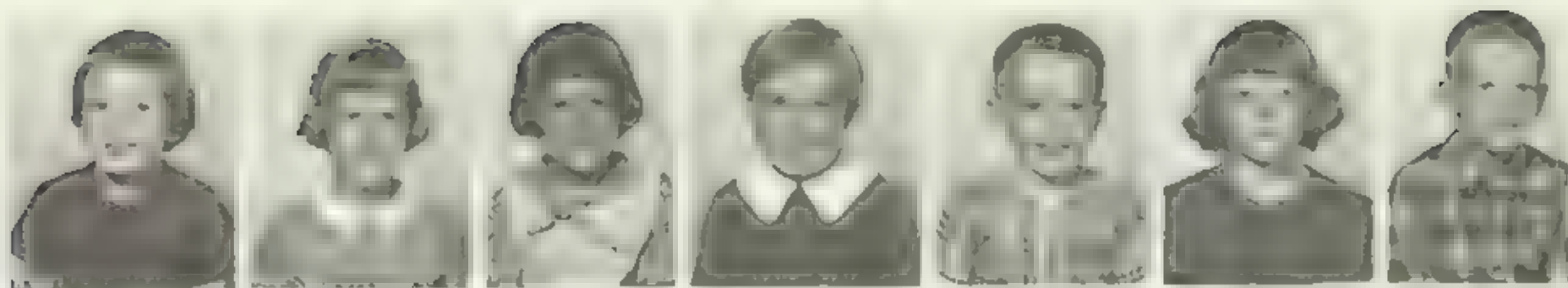
The Farson Elementary of Pekin is satisfied with the completion of another rewarding school year. Our attendance has remained fairly static the past three years. The quality of students, high

To aid our regular curriculum we had three very helpful additions the past year. A remedial reading program was started with Mrs. Doris Chute teaching. The program met with a good deal of success and next year will find improvements that will assist us in providing help to even more students. Mr. James Hawtrev presented the Junior High with a well balanced art program. The third addition is a Media Center based in Ottumwa. Delivery is made weekly of books, films, filmstrips, transparencies, maps, etc. This enables our students to be exposed to the area of audio-visual where seeing beats telling.

Our activities have been very interesting. Music, one act plays, Christmas program, open house, and an Activities Banquet giving recognition in particular to those in athletics, gives an idea of our endeavors.

A heartfelt "thank you" goes to the Parent's Organization and to every parent who helped in so many ways. Treats for parties, chaperones, referees, scorekeepers, banquet, to name a few of the efforts. Congratulations to the P.T.O. and Mrs. Dwight Cox for earning and achieving the Teacher of the Year award at the State level.

KINDERGARTEN



Debbie
Alger

Joni
Dickey

Carol
Durflinger

Lora
Kruegar

James
Perdue

Cynthia
Stanbrough

James
Sterling



Phil
Sobel

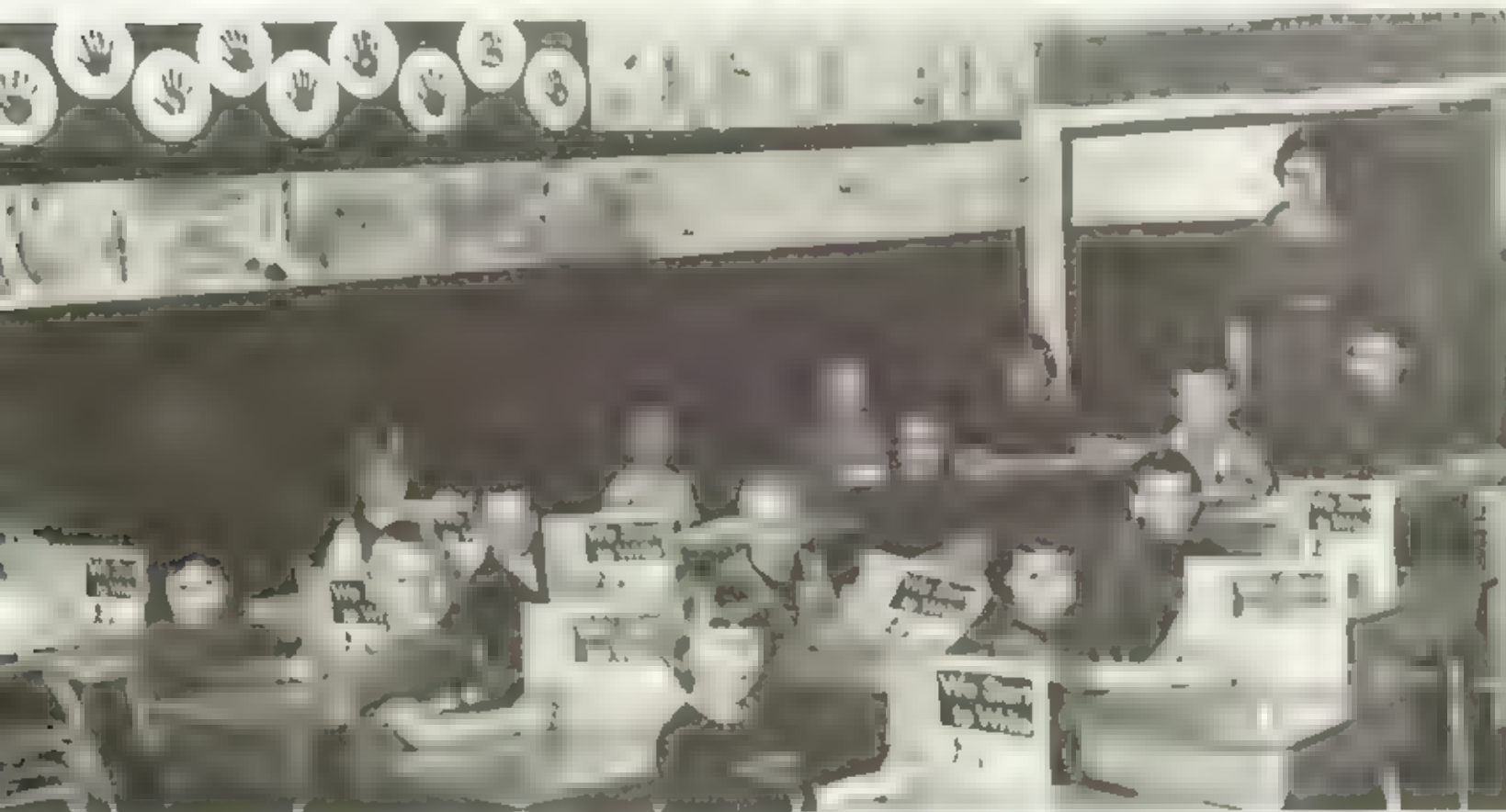
Craig
Swanson

David
Thompson

Mark
Walker

Ricky
Wendell

Vivian
Wooten



Mrs. La Rue Knowler

FIRST GRADE



Cynthia
Durflinger

Douglas
Messerschmitt

Sarah
Petersen

Randy
Schweitzer

Michael
Stanbrough

Kathryn
Sterling

Randy
Vannoy

SECOND GRADE



Chris
Cungan



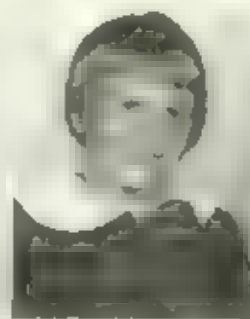
Candace
Dickey



Ronald
Garrett



Debra
Henselffer



Matthew
Jackson



Billy
Keews



Jane
Lowenberg



Theresa
Lattenegger



Linda
Stober



Tina
Vitale



Emily
Wright



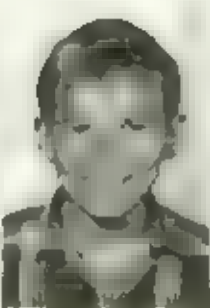
Mrs. Evelyn Cungan



THIRD GRADE



Charles
Garrett



James
Harte



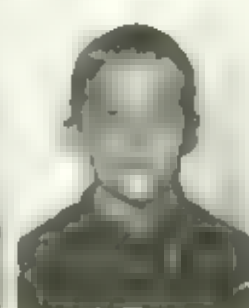
Lisa
Lowenberg



Renee
Pettit



Andy
Sauer



John
Schaff



Gary
Schweitzer



Mark
Stober

FOURTH GRADE



Wayne
Clingan



Ellen
Hull



Kareen
Jackson



Nancy
Lansford



David
Smith



Robert
Stewart



Lynn Ann
Stober



Doug
Weber



Jeffery
Welsh



Roger
Wright



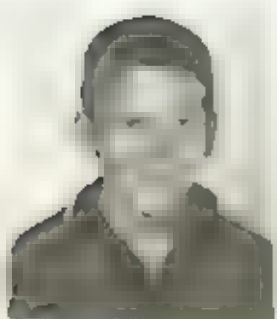
Cheryl
Younger



Mrs. Carol Wells



FIFTH GRADE



Jerry
Blomme



Cheryl
Durlinger



Paul
Jacobs



Mary
Receveur



Glenda
Rice



Randy
Stansberry



Ross
Wright

SIXTH GRADE



Mary
Dickens



Rex
Duke



Mark
Dorfinger



Carla
Elmore



Michael
Pettit



Joyce
Scharff



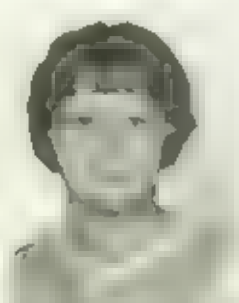
Cynthia
Smith



Mrs. Daniel Pettit



Nancy
Stansberry



Susie
Stein



Debra
Sterling



Barbara
Stewart



Debbie
Vittetor



Becky
Weber



Mark
Willhott



Crystal
Wilson



Patricia
Wright



Steve
Yeager



Alisa
Yoakam

SEVENTH GRADE



Lois
Bonnett



Terry
Curtis



Phil
Elmore



Kathryn
Hull



Carla
Luttenegger



Karen
Redmann



Judy
Skinner



Larry
Whittington



Mrs. Ivah Cox

The sixth, seventh and eighth grades at Farson have been handled in a departmentalized fashion during the past year. Mr. Sasseen has had physical education and athletics. Mr. Hawtrev has taught art and Mr. Woollums and Mrs. Papich has handled the music. Mrs. Ivah Cox has taught social studies and language arts and Spanish while Mrs. Darrel Pettit has taught the mathematics and science courses. These latter subjects especially will be supplemented next year by the very finest aids which can now be had on location from the new Media Center.

EIGHTH GRADE



Roger
Clingan



Timothy
Norris



Wanda
Sauer



Anne
Scharff



Elaine
Weber



Terry
Willhoit

FARSON ELEMENTARY BAND



Front row L. to R. Anne Schaefer, Vicki Yackob, Patricia Wright, Joanne Schaefer, Mark Whitton. Second row L. to R. Terry Curtis, Larry Whittington, Rex Duke, Mary Dickens, Terry Willhott, Glenda Rice. Standing L. to R. Paul Jacobs, Debbie Vittetoe, Mike Pettit, Jerry Blomme.



Our instrumental department, under the direction of Mr. Marlin Woollums, grew not only in number, but in interest and enthusiasm as well. Next fall will find us with a band of fifteen to twenty participants. At the annual Junior High Band Concert, all schools of Pekin joined in a very fine performance.

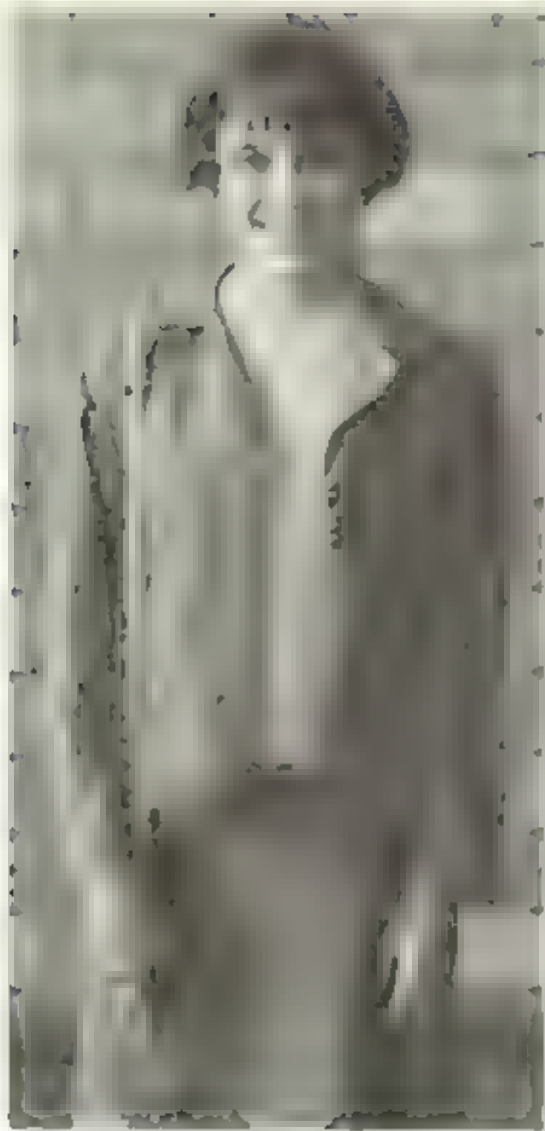


This junior high vocal group provided numbers for us at our Activities Banquet.

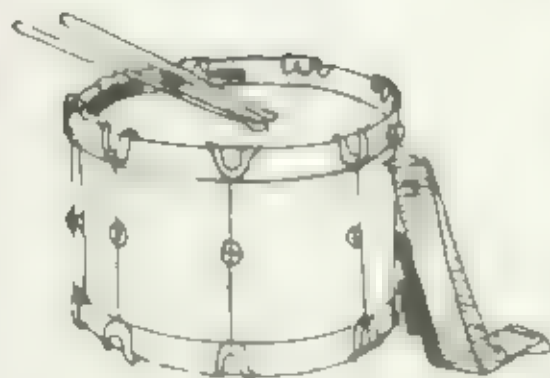
Mrs. Estella Papich has provided our center with a pleasing vocal department. Working in close conjunction with the teachers, she has assisted with programs in every age group.



SOLO CONTEST WINNERS



Angie Schaff



Amy Young



Mary Dickens



Mike Pettit

FARSON JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL



First row from left Judy Skinner, Karen Redmann, Anne Scharff, Wanda Sauer, Kathy Hull, Elaine Weber.
Second row from left Debbie Stiering, Mary Dickens, Becky Weber, Carol Feltner, Carol Luthmeyer,
Lynn Barnett. Third row from left Jaye Scharff, Patricia Wright, Debbie Vittetoe, Coach Sanson, Alisa
Yorkston, Nancy Stansberry, Nicole Stein.

Our cheerleaders were once again a source of pride to us. The 4th and 5th grade girls doing the job were Lynn Ann Steier, Cecelia Kice, Cheryl Yeager, Kaitlyn Jackson, Christy Farringer. Mothers once again have a big thank you for the accompanying and/or



FARSON JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL



Seated from left Phil Elmore, Tim Norris, Terry Willhott, Roger Clingan, Larry Whittington. Standing from left, Mike Pettit, Mark Willhott, Terry Curtis, Coach Sasseen, Mark Durflinger, Steve Yeager, Rex Duke, Mgr

GIRLS RECORD

17	Richland	27
17	Packwood	19
28	Ollie	34
30	Richland	27
25	Packwood	14
26	Ollie	28
33	Hedrick	21
13	Hedrick	12

Our teams this year enjoyed competition on very equal terms with other centers in our district. Our intra-school sports consisted of girls softball (winner, Farson), boy's flag football, basketball, and track. Besides learning the fundamentals of the various sports, the program provided an opportunity for future classes of Pekin to know one another.

BOYS RECORD

31	Richland	33
26	Packwood	19
32	Ollie	22
22	Richland	33
33	Packwood	34
36	Ollie	21

High Jump
4' 8"

Shot Put
35' 8"

ACTIVITIES BANQUET
Thank You for the recognition of the students efforts



CHRISTMAS OPERETTA



Our Angel

LITTLE BLUE ANGEL

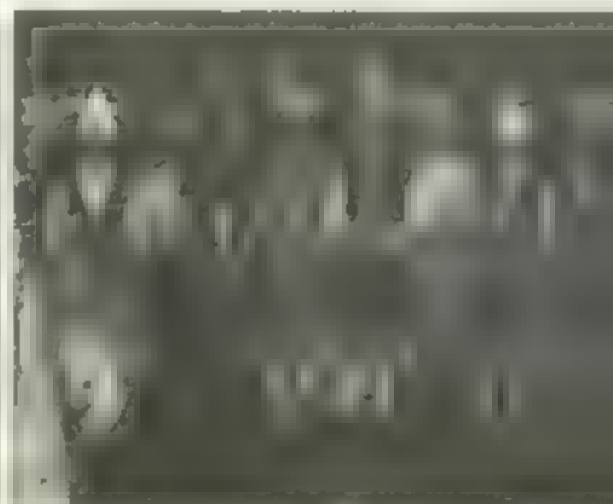
The Christmas program consisted of an opera given by the grades Kindergarten through Fifth. It was under the direction of Mrs. Estella Papich and was well received



Happy Snowmen?



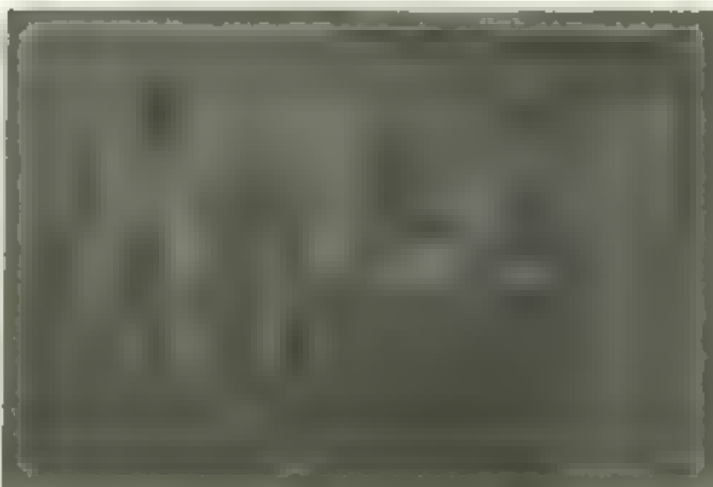
Jolly Cooks



The Stars



Among the Stars



Castle Choir



Gift Bearers



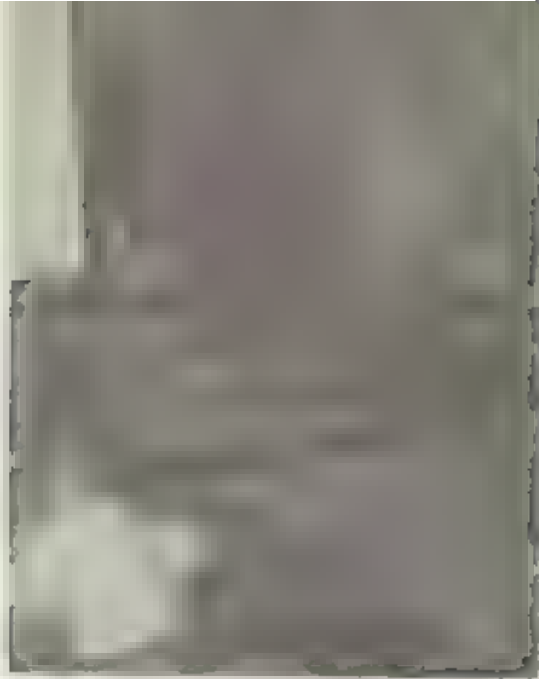
The Bells



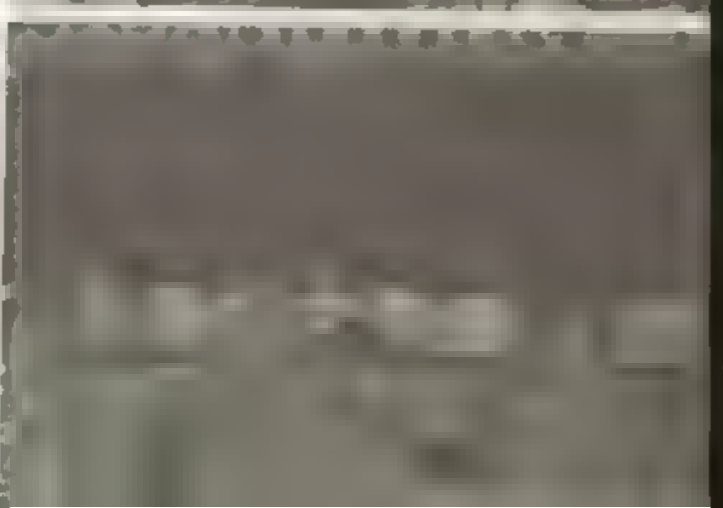
Court Jesters



Guard's Duty



CHRISTMAS AND VALENTINE
PARTIES
These two events were among
the highlights of the school year



ONE ACT PLAYS



AS PRETTY DOES

Directed by Mrs. Dwight Cox. Miss Robbins, young principal, Elaine Weber. Alice Putnam, personable senior. Judy Skinner. Hattie, 18 Year old hildilly. Nancy Stansberry. Ivy Whittaker, pretty but spoiled. Becky Weber. Nurse Putnam, Alice's mother. Alisa Yoakam. Lee Pate, senior class president. Mark Durlinger. Chuck Earner, senior. Rex Duke. Lattie White, bashful sophomore. Steve Yeager. Alberta McIntosh, tomboy type. Carla Elmore. Flower Girls, Crystal Wilson, Cindy Smith, Barbara Stewart. Scene: A temporary office in the gym of Willowdale High School. Time: Late Friday afternoon in the spring.



FOXY GRANDMA

Directed by Mrs. Daniel Pettit. Mr. Maxwell, head of house, Tim Norris. Mrs. Maxwell, head of house, Karen Redmann. Willie, robust boy of 12, Mark Willett. Louise, daughter of 14, Debra Sterling. Grandma, 80 yrs. young, Lois Bonnett. Elmer, none to bright thief, Larry Whittington. Muggsy, Elmer's partner, Phil Elmore. Scene: The living room in the home of John Maxwell. Time: the present. Music: Between Plays, Debra Sterling. Piano Solo, Climb Every Mountain, Rogers and Hammerstein. Susie Stein. Piano Solo, Toccata, Dmitri Habalevsky from Children's Pieces.



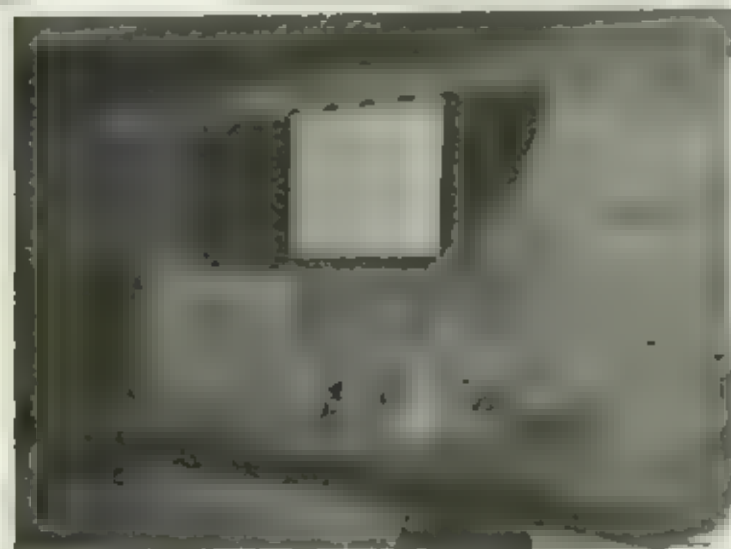
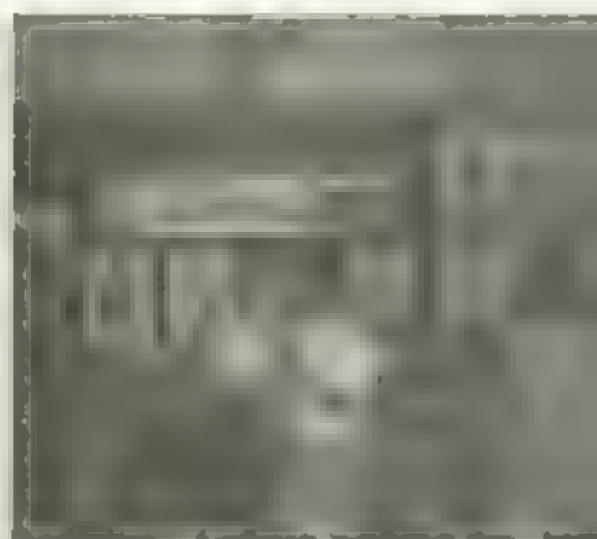
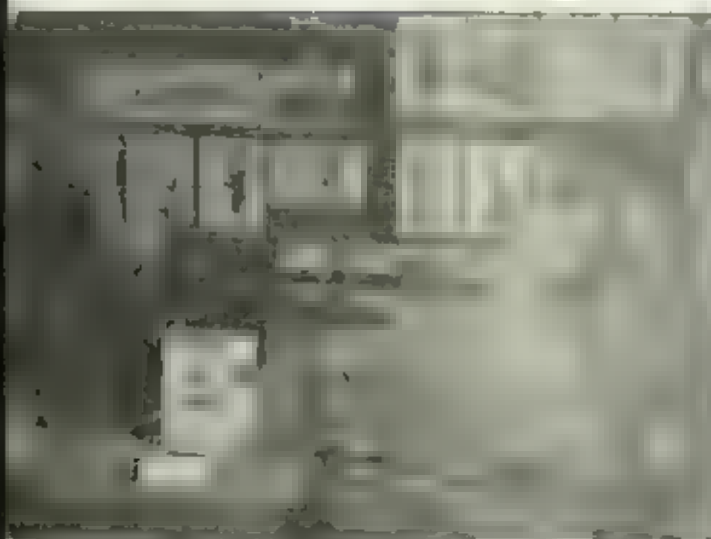
RUN, ROBBER, RUN

Directed by Mr. Keith Sasseen. A one-act comedy in which we see the art and heart for burglary broken. SETTING: A combination office and reception room at the Caldwell School for Girls. CHARACTERS: Otto, a professional robber; Roger Chingan, Spider, the same; Terry Curtis, Miss Prudhomme, Headmistress at Caldwell; Carla Lattenegger, Mr. Alden, Teacher and Disciplinarian; Terry Wyndott, Sally, Sensible and Likeable school girl; Anne Scharff, Gail, a spoiled child; Wanda Sauer, Golt Winchester, a phony TV Western star; Mike Pettit, School girls: Carol, Susie, Stein, Jeanne, Mary Dickens, Cheryl, Kathy Hull, Joan, Patricia Wright, Linda = Joyce Scharff, Anne, Debbie Vittetoe.

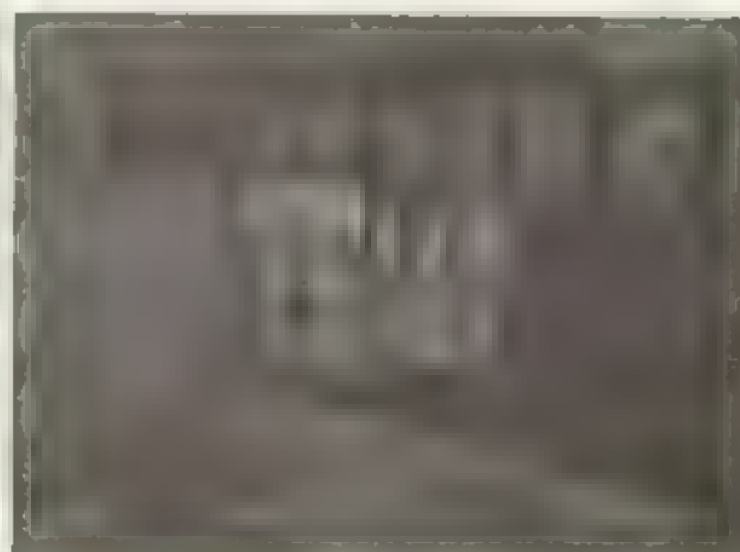
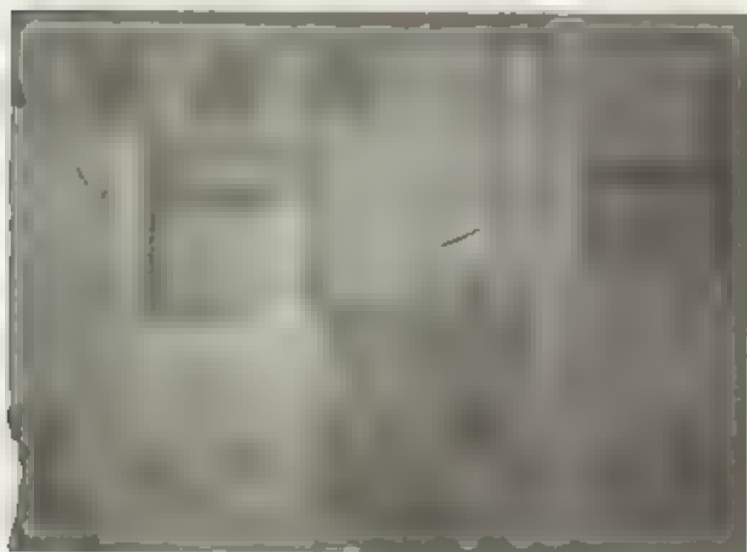
A Thank You to Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Pettit, AND a Happy Birthday to Mrs. Cox. Cakes from three mothers and a surprise to the two teachers provided the setting for this occasion.



FARSON OPEN HOUSE AND SPRING EXHIBIT



OPEN HOUSE AND EXHIBITS



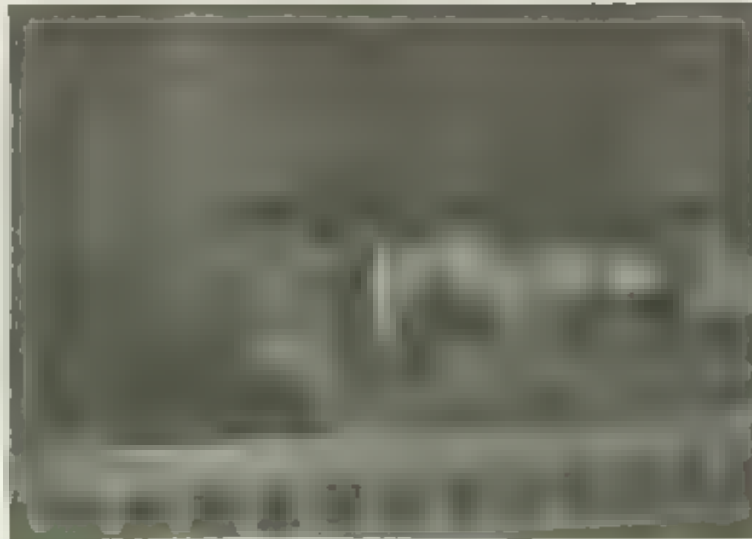
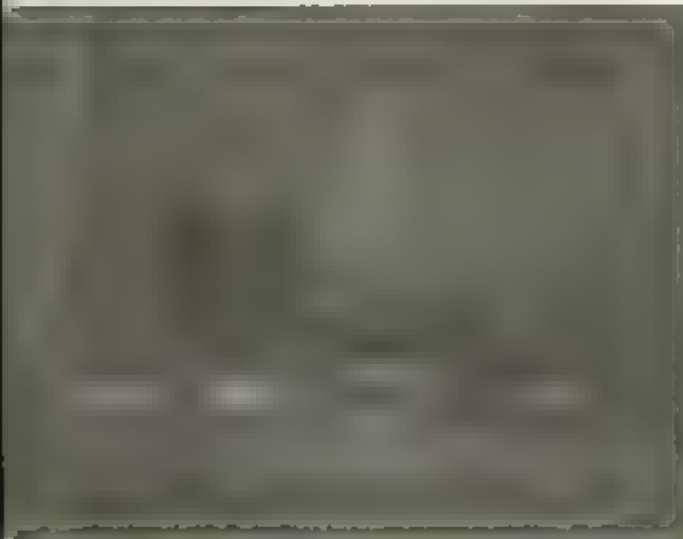
We were very pleased in regard to the response received from this year's open house. A great deal of planning and work is involved on the part of every teacher and student.

The reward to the students and teachers is ample indeed, when a proud student shows his special efforts to parents who in turn enjoy sharing in the delight of their child's achievements.

TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARD



Mrs. Ivah Cox was selected as THE TEACHER OF THE YEAR, an award granted by the Wallaces Farmer. At the left she is pictured receiving the award from Murphy, representing the magazine. A community-wide dinner was held to honor Mrs. Cox. The parent's organization of our school successfully promoted Mrs. Cox's candidacy for this State award.



The Larson junior high students were pleased this year to go on a field trip to the Ottumwa area. Jammed into one day was a visit to Murrels, the Moore, and the Courthouse. Shortly after their release from jail (?), they enjoyed a sack lunch at one of the city parks. A genuinely good time was had by all.





HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
TEACHER



Ooooooh!
I can't
look! Let
me see!



Above: we see the eighth grade science class dissecting a chicken. When completed it is the goal to reconstruct the skeleton. Mrs. Pettit created much interest with projects such as the above.

Mrs. Cox proudly displays some efforts of her social studies, Spanish, and French story classes below. Spanish has become one of Mrs. Cox's pets. So much interest is generated by many teachers and students that we only can speak English.





At Kindergarten Round up Mrs. Knowler prepared a coffee for the occasion Mr. Maher counselor and Mrs. Schertz nurse spoke to the parents on preparation for the first year

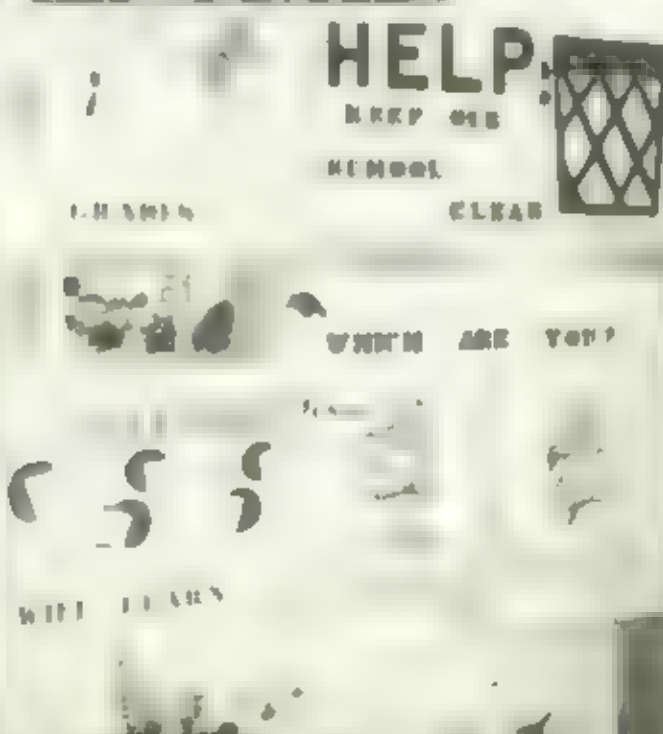


There isn't nuttin' like a skit unless its two



Dona Buck
Lithographer
at Kindergarten

T G I F DAY





Mrs. Maxine Nelson



Mrs. Cleota
McCreery

Bus' Vannoy

'faithfuls' have provided us with good, hot, and balanced dinners for 14
rs. Thank you

Our Bus Drivers



Mr. Swice, Speech Therapist



Floyd Wickenkamp

Ronnie Stanley substitutes
for his father Arlo



Mrs. Bernadine Vannoy

Mr. Theodore Vannoy

s' and Mrs. Vannoy have toiled many hours
prepare and maintain our school. 'Hats off
a job well done



OLLIE ATTENDANCE CENTER



Mr. Gerald Mercer

The Ollie Elementary School had an enrollment of 193 students for the 1966-67 school year. Our average daily attendance was 184.06 students. Two fine cooks also served approximately 30,000 meals this year to a fine student body with four student helpers. Nine teachers working full time and five teachers who share part of their work load with us guided our students in a well rounded program. We are also indebted to the staff of the county office and the area media center for much help throughout the year.

We engaged in many extra curricular activities in addition to athletics and music. The eighth grade class presented two fine one act plays. The entire student body presented a Christmas Program plus numerous field trips, hay rides and dances.

The annual school exhibit was held May 19th enjoyed by all in attendance. School closed May 26th, with eighteen 8th graders being promoted.

EIGHTH GRADE



Mrs. Louise Stenapel



Karen
Cain



Ralph
Conger



Dennis
Eckley



Vicki
Enmark



Terry
Gatt



Donnie
Grimm



Susan
Horras



Forrest
McBeth



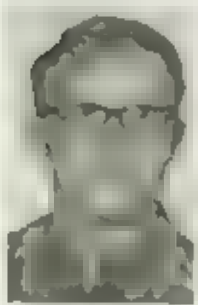
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Power



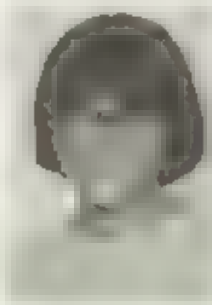
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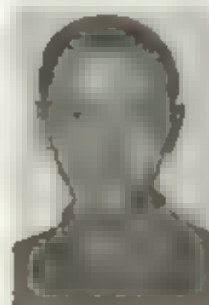
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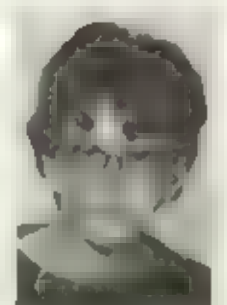
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Kathy
Winn



Jeff
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Karen
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Mr. Hawtrey

SEVENTH GRADE



Mrs. Edith Garrels



Michael Allsup



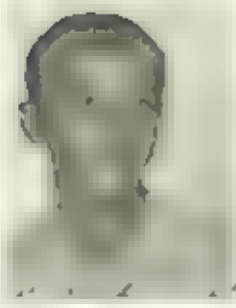
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Darlene Cavin



Sandra Cavin



Larry Conger



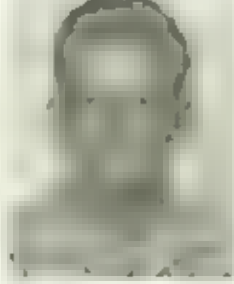
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Cheryl Curtis



Diana Eckley



Craig Foster



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Jackie Ingle



Brenda Kessel



Glenda Kessel



Richard Kleinschmidt



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John Lopez



Mary Alice Lyons



FIRM McBeth



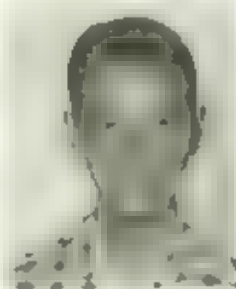
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Joyce Sanchez



Sandra Sly



Martin Sieren



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Susan Winn



Terry Wonderlich



SIXTH GRADE



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Allsup



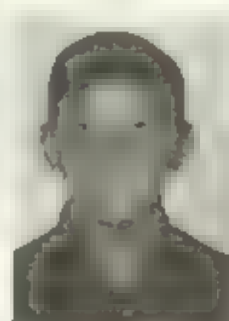
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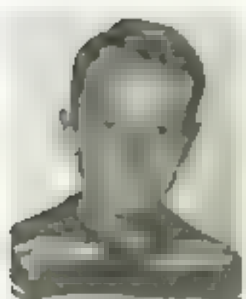
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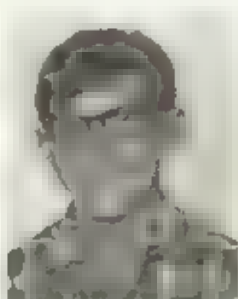
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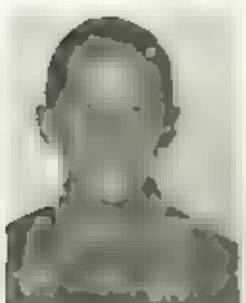
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Dickie
Grimm



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Joyce
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Terry Jean
Kessel



Jerlyn
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Northup



Melodie
Reinier



Yvonne
Reinier



Dennis
Reynolds



Kurt
Reynolds



Mike
Sanchez



John
Shirkey



Barbara
Stull



Debra
Winn



Gary
Winn



Patricia
Yoder

5TH GRADE



Mrs. Mable Pickard



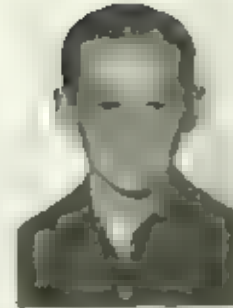
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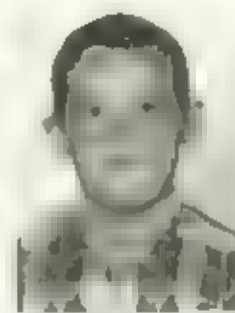
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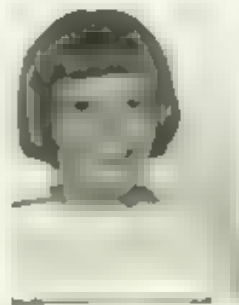
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Nancy
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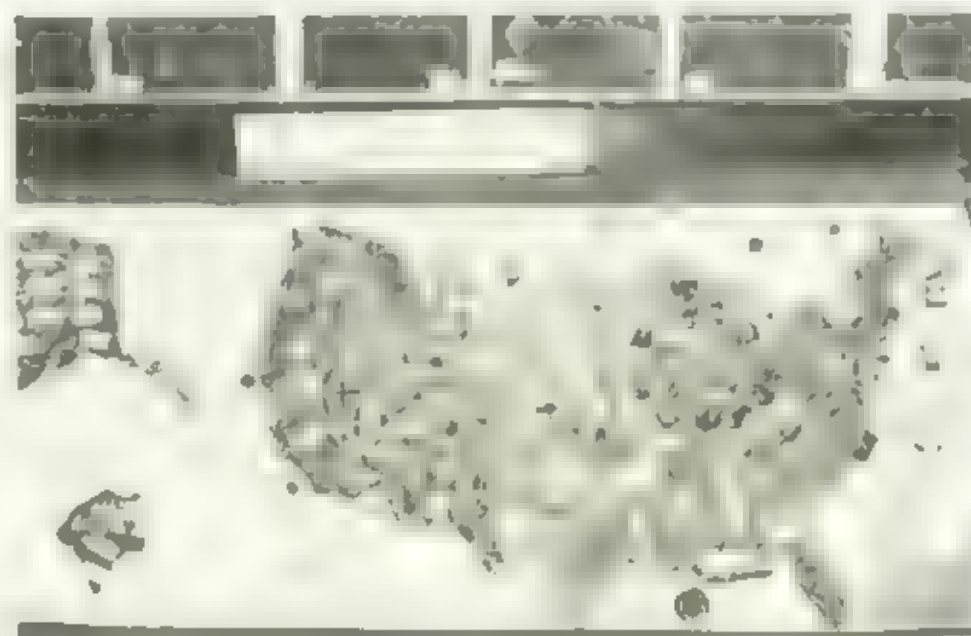
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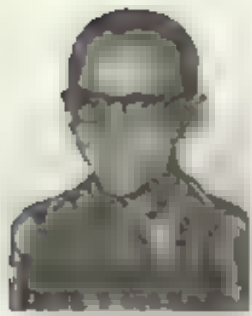
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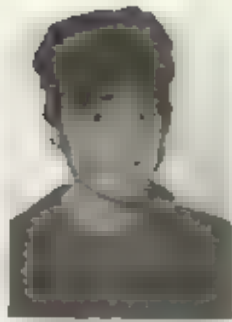
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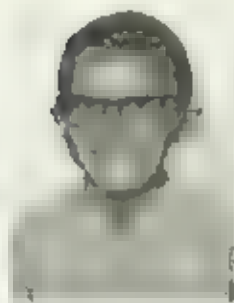
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Mrs. Elizabeth Leisure



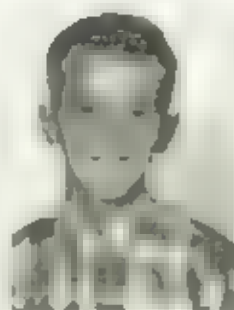
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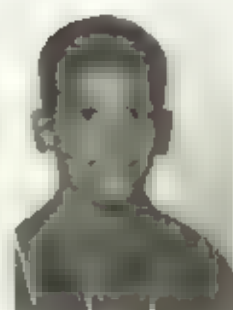
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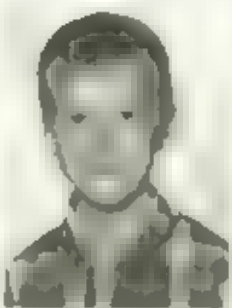
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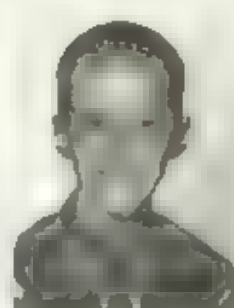
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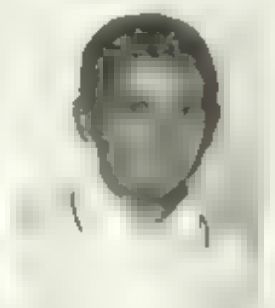
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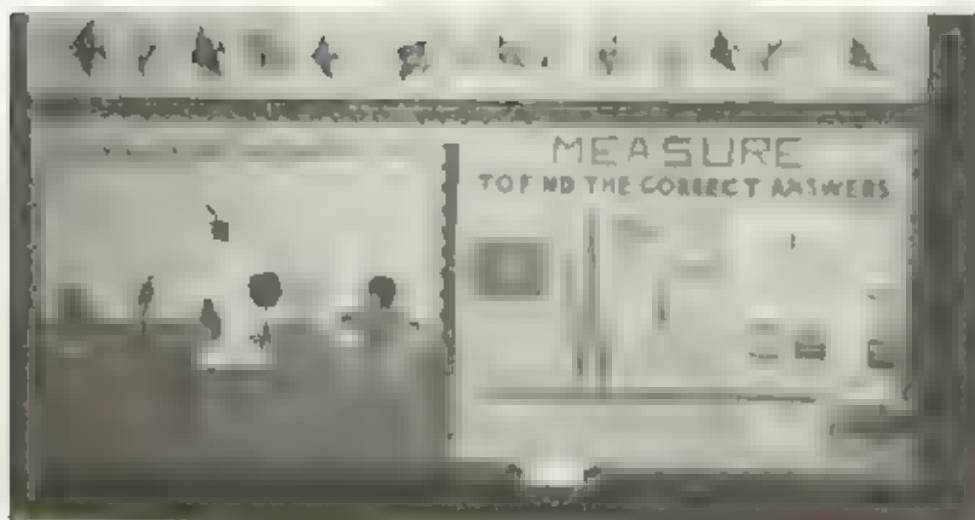
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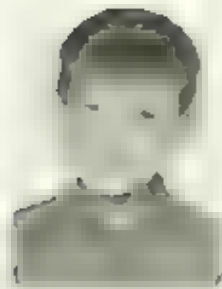


Steven
Wickenkamp

3RD GRADE



Mrs. Marianne Schrepler



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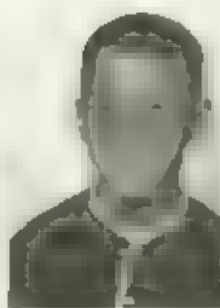
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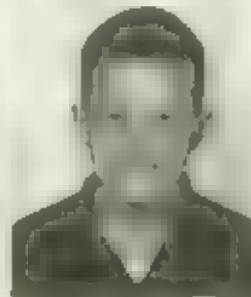
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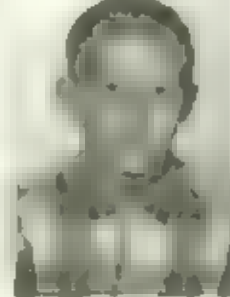
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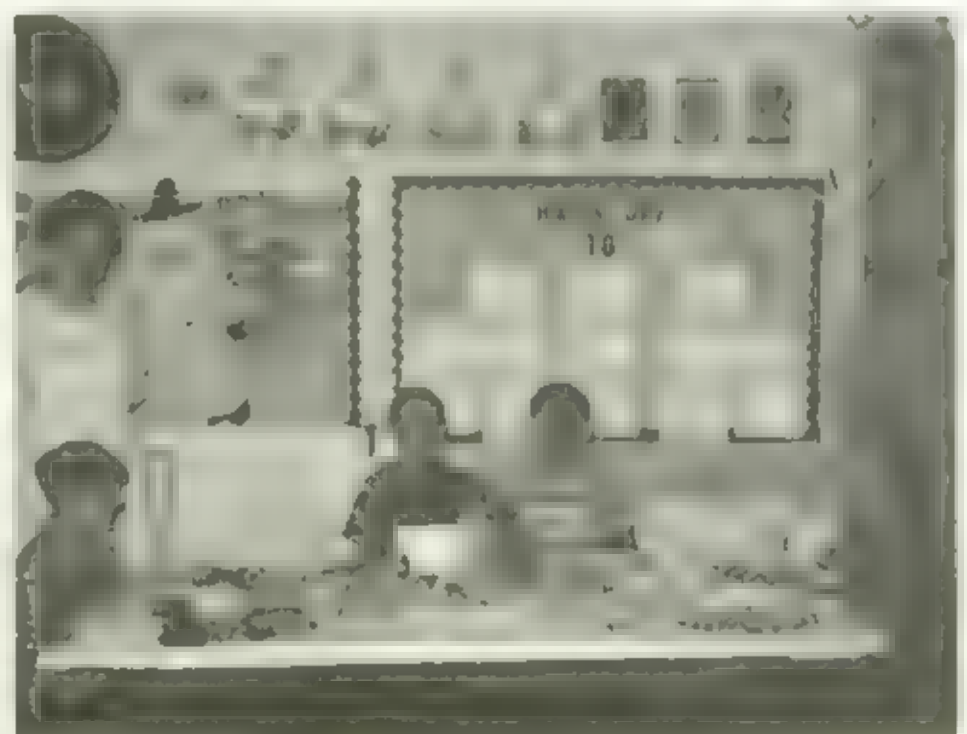
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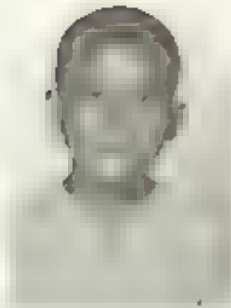
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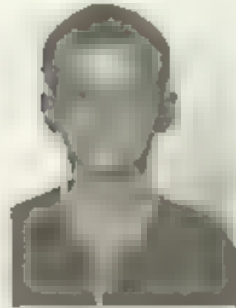
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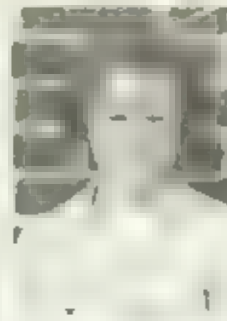
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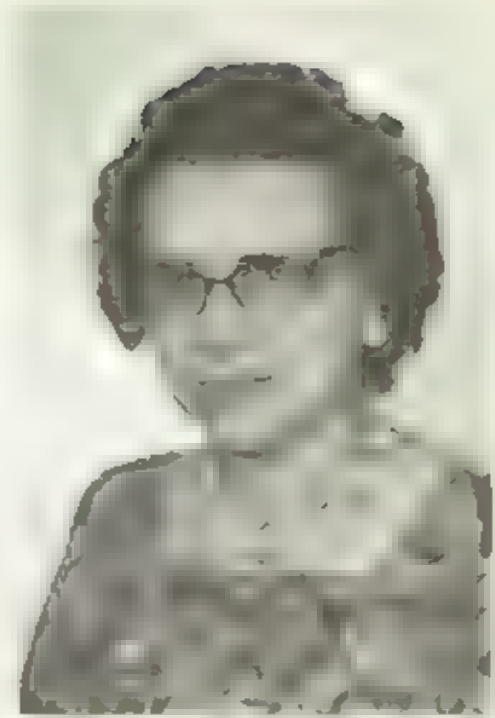
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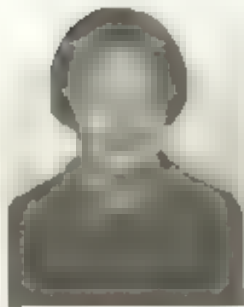
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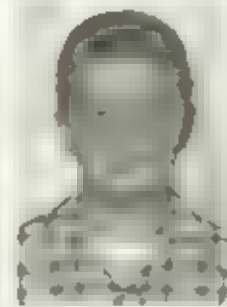
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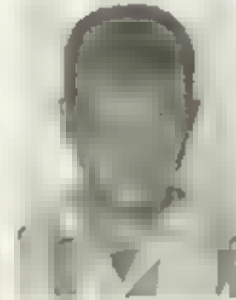
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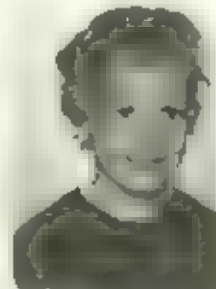
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Davis



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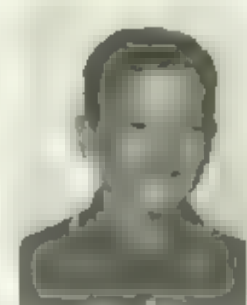
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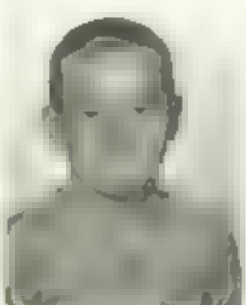
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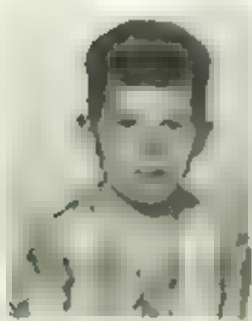
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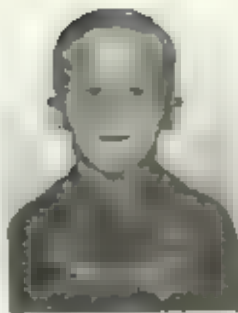
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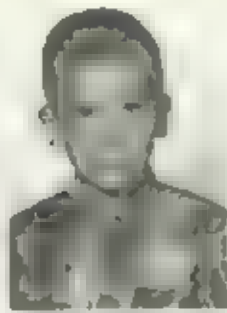
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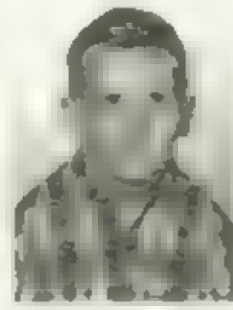
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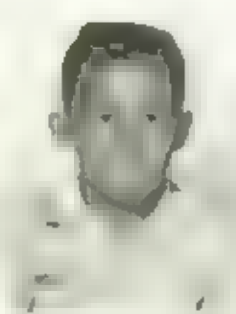
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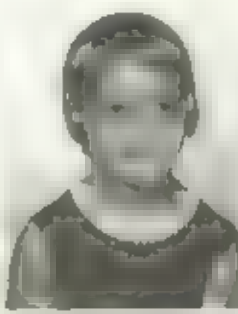
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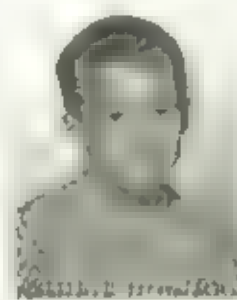
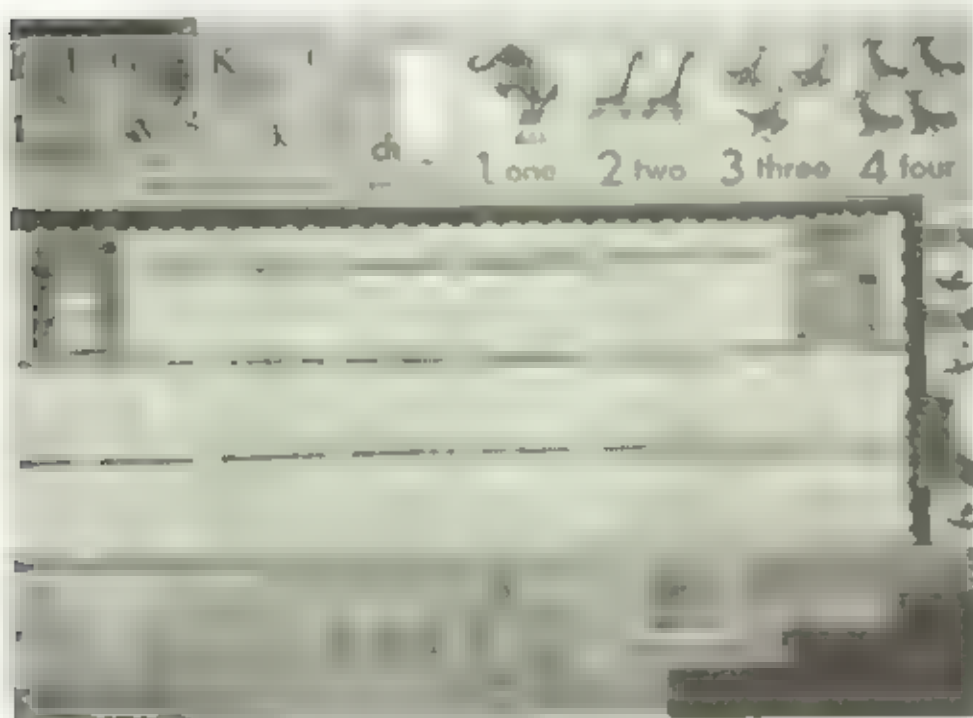
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THE U. S. REVOLT



Left to Right: Lynn Schneider, Karen Cam, Patricia Power, Susan Horras, Donnie Grum, Kathy Winn, Phyllis Nelson, Marsha Ward, Jeffery Wonderlich



SCHOLASTIC LEADERS

Front: Phyllis Nelson, Terri Gott. Back: Cynthia Wallerich, Susan Horras, Vicki Emmack

CAMPUS BRIDES



STANDING: Dale Wakenkamp, Karen Wonderlich, Terr. Gott, Cynthia Wallerich, Vicki Emmick. SITTING: Larry Stanbrough, Dennis Eckley, Ralph Conger, Forrest McBeth



CLASS OFFICERS

Pres. Karen Cain Vice Pres. Susan Horras, Sec. Marshia Ward, Tres. Kathy Winn

JUNIOR HIGH BAND



First Row: L to R: Susan White, Bruce Hartz, Barbara Day, Linda Carter, Jane Sanchez, Mary Ann Evans, Cheryl Curtis, Phyllis Nelson, and Kelly White. Second Row: L to R: Sandra Smith, John Lopez, Dennis Edwards, John Shockey, David Goff, Phillip Northup, Steven Leathers, and Sandra Swanson. Standing: L to R: and Horris Hagg, Fletcher, and Jackie Ingle.



NO TRATINGS

Front Row, left to right: Sandra Swanson, Phillip Northup, Cheryl Curtis, Jack Ingle



Mr. Woollums

JUNIOR BAND



First Row, L. to R., Vernon Reinier, Thomas Cain, Deborah Reed, Patty Reinier, Cindy Blake, Bruce Underwood and Gene Lyons, Standing, Lisa Kreiger



8th GRADE GIRLS CHORUS

Front Row, left to right Cynthia Wallerich, Terri Gott, Marshia Ward, Phyllis Nelson Back Row, Pamela Power Karen Cain, Kathy Winn, Vicki Emmack, Susan Horras, Karen Wonderlich



Mrs. Papich

WRESTLING



CHEERLEADERS. Left to Right Karen Cain, Karen Wonderlich, Cheryl Curtis, Sandra Swanson

CHEERLEADERS



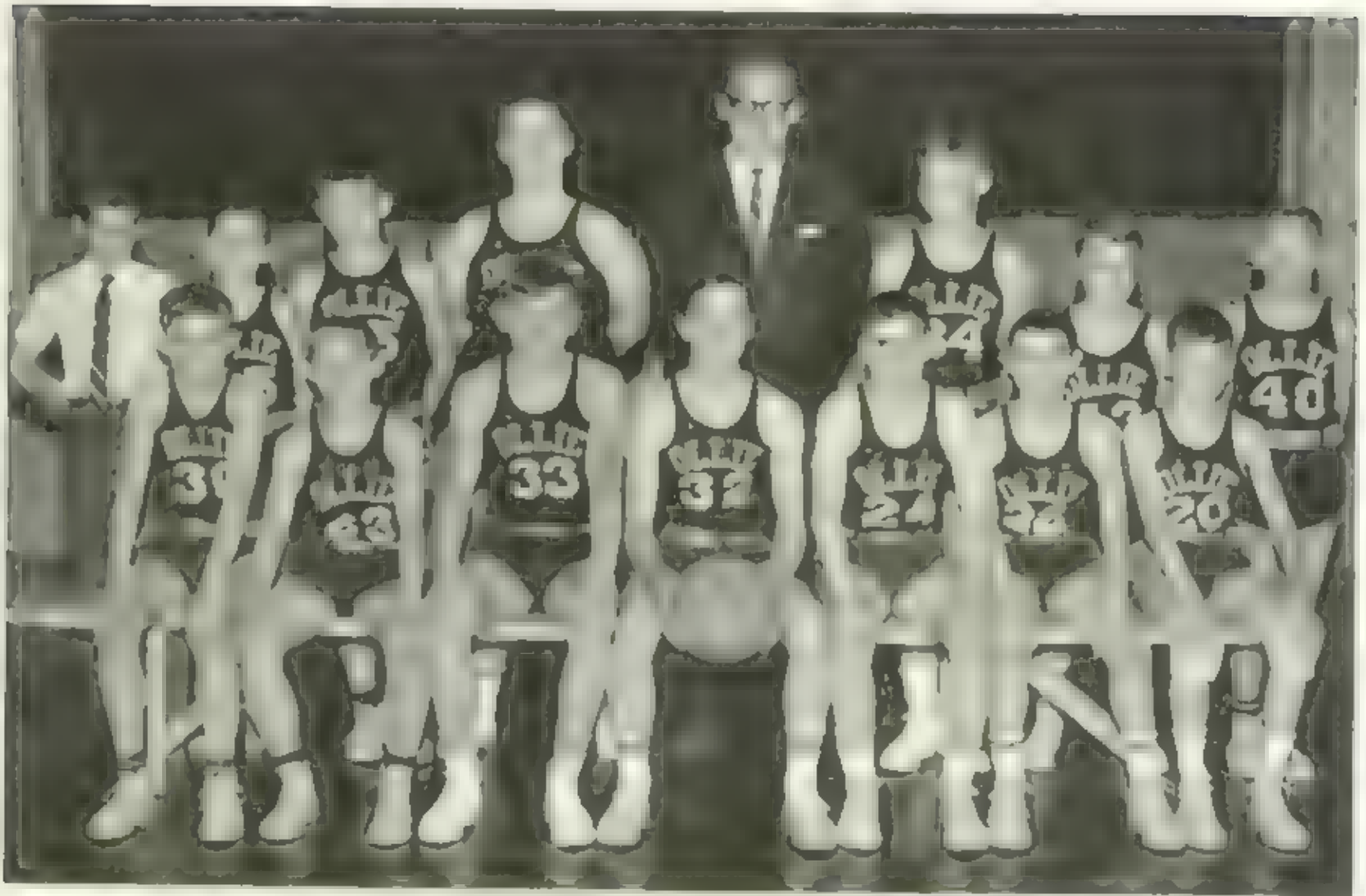
Barbara Stult, Candy Blake, Charott Golt, Meeky Reimer

CHEERLEADERS



Patricia Yoder, Phyllis Conger, Jerlyn McBeth, Debbie Winn, Terry Kessel

BOYS' BASKETBALL



Front Row: left to right: Terry Derby, Kurt Reynolds, Forrest M. Rich, Lynn Schrader, Donnie Graham, Mike Sanchez, Dennis Rivers. Second Row: Bruce Handy, Phillip Nordmark, Paul Fritcher, Jack Ingle, Mr. Murrer, Steve Leathers, Phillip Foster, Dickie Grimm.

The Boys' Basketball team at Ollie this year was composed of boys who had never played before mostly sixth graders. We gained much experience but never did find the win column.

BOYS RECORD

15	Packwood	52
15	Richland	31
22	Farson	32
25	Packwood	46
11	Richland	36
21	Farson	26

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Front Row left to right: Glenda Kessel, Sue Winn, Mary Alice Lyons, Sandra Shy, Susan Herrick, Kathy Winn, Vicki Erickson, Marsha Ward, Joyce Sanchez. Second Row: Philip Nelson, Cynthia Wadrich, Pamela Powers, Mr. Mercer, Brenda Kessel, Terri Gott, Cindy Horras.

The Girls' Basketball team ended the season with five wins and one loss. Richland defeated us by one point in a fine game. A lot of fine basketball was played by all teams in the district.

GIRLS RECORD

47	Packwood	25
43	Richland	42
34	Farson	28
55	Packwood	35
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28	Farson	26



Mrs. Betty Erickson
Secretary



Mr. Benton Cain
Custodian



Miss Esther Farrow, Keo Co Elem Supervisor, Mrs
Lorene Wedeking, Keo Co Nurse, Mr. Batt Maher
Guidance Counselor, Miss Waneta McNabb, Ollie
Kindergarten Teacher





Seventh grade hay ride



Algonquin day camp



Third grade band ???



Sigournery field-trip



Parent teacher conference



Open-house

Pictures on these two pages were left over after we had finished our other sections but we thought they were too good to leave out entirely. We feel sure that many will enjoy them.



Eighth Grade Bulletin Board



Mrs. Winn surveys her domain



Mr. Mercer rations the punch



Second Grade Poses Prettily



Second Grade Girls and Bulletin Boards



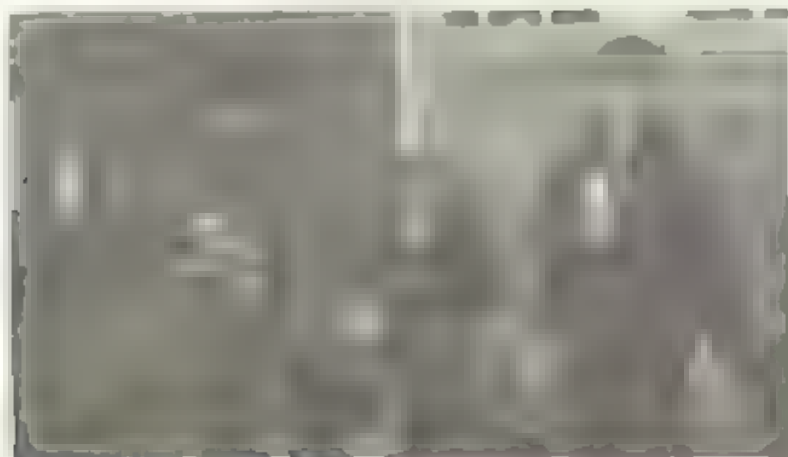
Kindergarten Kiddies eye the camera



Mr. Maher addresses Kindergarten Round up



Be very good or "in you go."



Third, grade musicians L. to R. Jerry Gott, Kim Reynolds, Candy Reimer, Billy Blake



First Grade Christmas
(above and below)



Kindergarten Round-up Tea Table



First Grade Halloween
(above and below)



Mrs. McHabb and Mrs. Schrepfer



Eighth Grade Hayride

PACKWOOD ATTENDANCE CENTER



The Packwood Elementary School, third largest in the Pekin Community School District operated under the supervision of Mr. Waldo Sutton this year. This was Mr. Sutton's sixth year as Acting Principal at Packwood. There were 165 students enrolled at the start of the term.

Our school presented a Christmas Operetta entitled "Mr. Grumpy's Toy Shop" under the direction of Mrs. Estella Papich.

The P.T.C. was very active, headed by Mr. Louis Doty as President. The organization purchased new stage curtains which were made by P.T.C. Mothers. The project for a new speaker system is being sponsored by the P.T.C. A summer swimming program is also sponsored by the P.T.C.

The Junior High participated in four sports programs.

The Instrumental Music Program was under the direction of Mr. Marlin Woollums.

Social events were an eighth grade dance, hay rides, and skating parties.

The highlight of the year was the Elementary Exhibit on May 4.

The final school activity was Eighth Grade Graduation in which 16 students were presented diplomas.

School closed on May 26.



Mr. Waldo Sutton

7TH AND 8TH GRADES



Bonnie
Bradfield



Jon
Carris



Virgil
Davis Jr.



Stephen
Dickey



Janice
Doty



Mr. Waldo Sutton



Randy
Ellis



Linda
Graham



Gary
Mercer



Donna
Mitchell



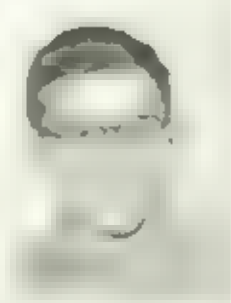
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Cathy
Nordvke



Allan
Ruggles



David
Silvers



Dennis
Smith



Sherry
Smith



Craig
Wiggins



Suzie
Adam



Steven
Brown



Gary
Chacey



Mike
Coleman



David
Cowgull



Mrs. Mildred Myers



Debbie
Dickey



Raymie
Greiner



Ronnie
Heald



Joey
Ledger



Barbara
Marshall



Sally
Miksch



Janine
Salterberg



Janie
Williams

SIXTH GRADE



Mrs. Eunice White



Martha Dee
Bradfield



Becky
Cary



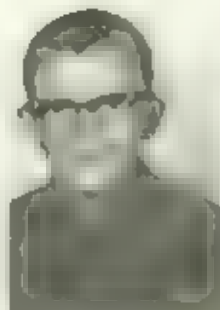
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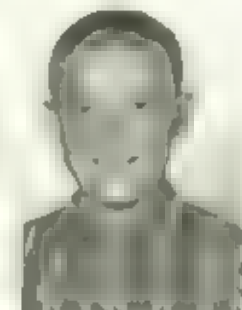
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Day



Garry
Dickey



Roger
Graham



Paul
Hollingsworth



Katherine
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Michael
Ledger



Wynona
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Debra
Muntz



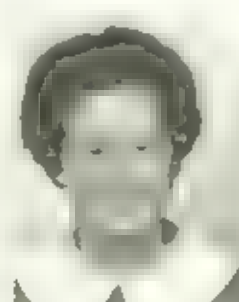
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Myers



Susie
Nelson



Cynthia
Pepper



Ellen
Ruggles



Sheryl
Salterberg



Martha
Sasseen



Dixie
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Tommy
Snoddy



Phyllis
VanBartcome



FIFTH GRADE



Vicki
Adams



Ronnie
Bradfield



Robert
Adams



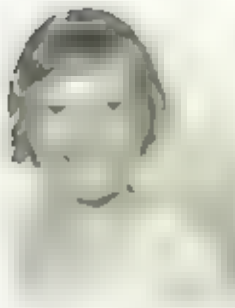
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Mrs. Lucile Smith



Joyce
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Vicki
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Glen
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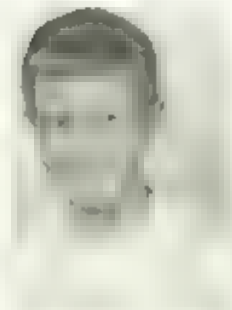
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John
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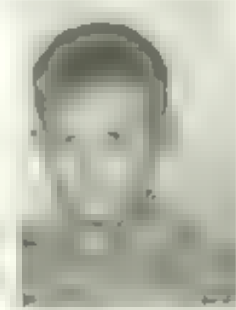
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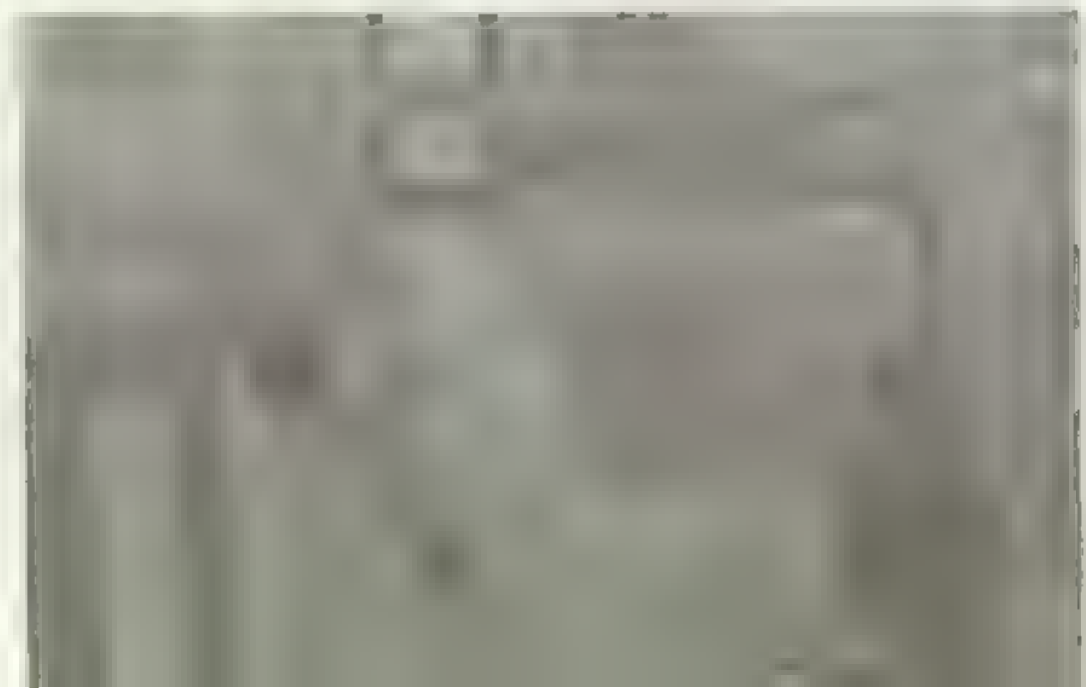
Tina
Wiggins



IN OUR ROOM



EXHIBIT



FOURTH GRADE



Mrs. Alta Miller



Danny
Cary



Judy
Caviness



Vicky
Clark



Gregory
Hughes



Mark
Kurlz



Randy
Ledger



Vickie
Muntz



Bill
Salterberg



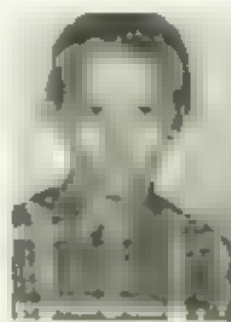
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Van Blaricome



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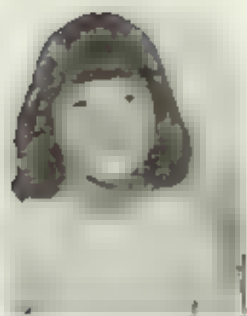


Looking
Out
Best

Study Time



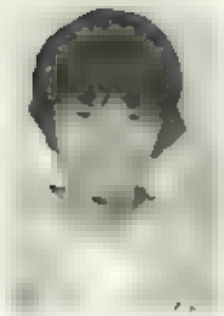
THIRD GRADE



Shirley
Adam



Diana
Cary



Sheila
Caviness



Kathy Jo
Chambers



Rhonda
Dailey



Mrs. Hazel Allison



Linda
Day



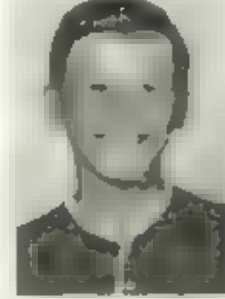
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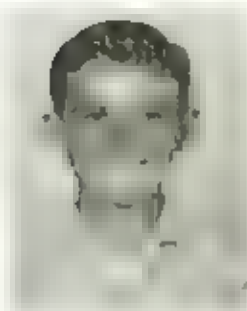
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David
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Donnie
Huffman



Karen
Kanne



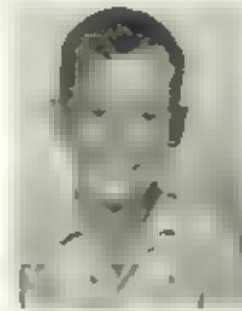
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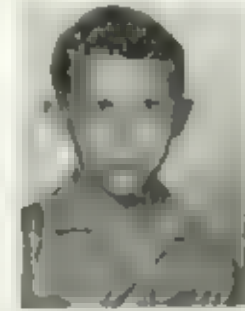
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Larry
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Busy
Children



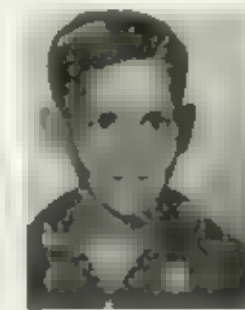
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Bobby
Ruggles



Linda
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Brian
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Busy
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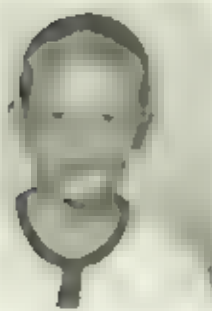


Randy
Woods

SECOND GRADE



Mrs. Sasseen



Randy Alwood



Terry Book



Dixie Davis



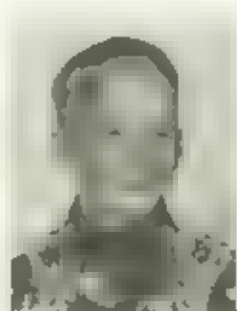
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Randy Gridley



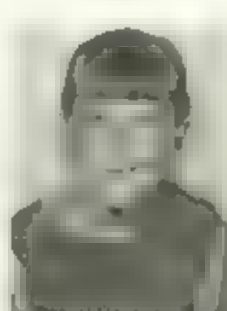
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Bradley Hall



Vickie Hill



Kelly Horton



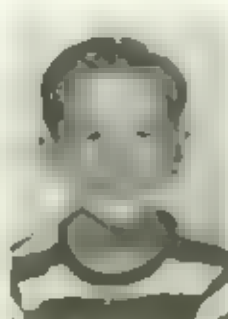
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Matthew Mercer



Julia Mitchell



Randy Muntz



Craig Pepper



Duane Smith



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Douglas Young

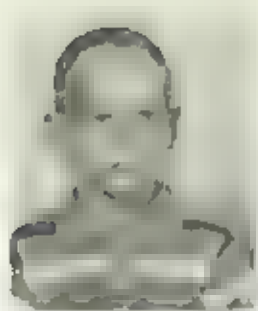


Studying our lessons

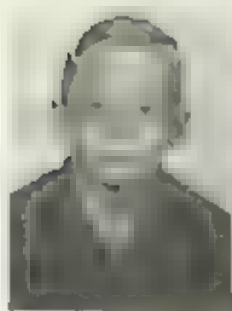


All smiles

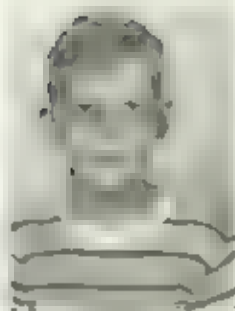
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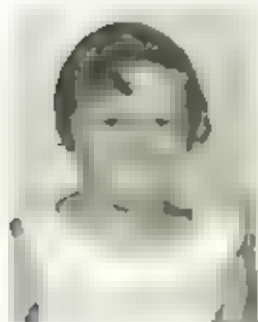
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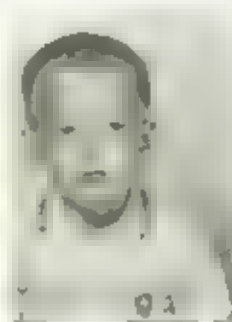
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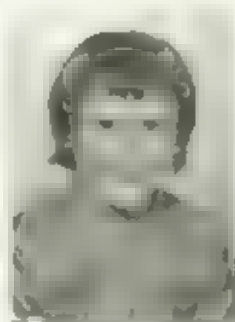
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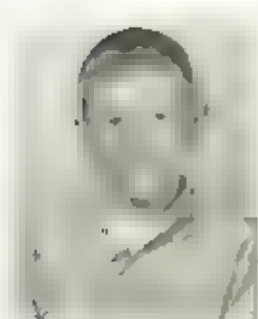
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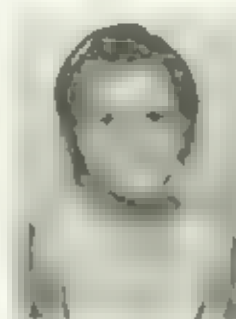
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Mary
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Rosemary
Nordyke



Mrs. Dox
Room Mother



We
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Three



Say "Cheese"



Steven
Seider



Yvonne
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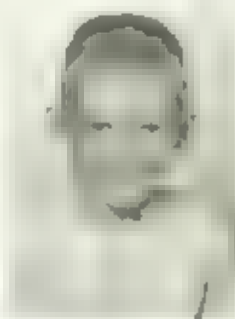
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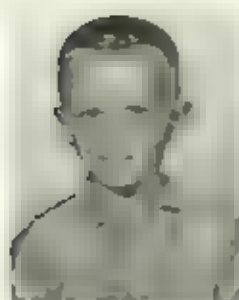


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Young

KINDERGARTEN



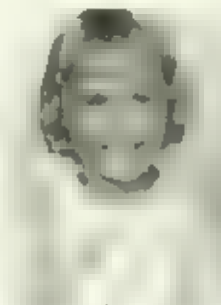
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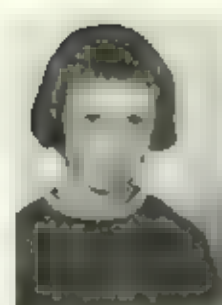
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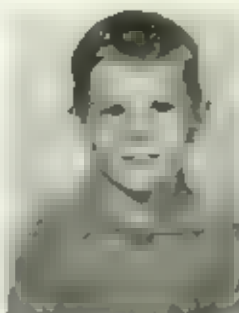
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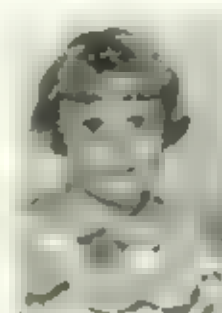
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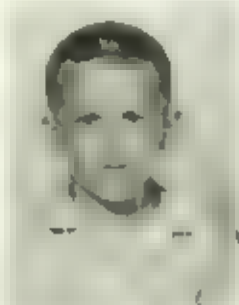
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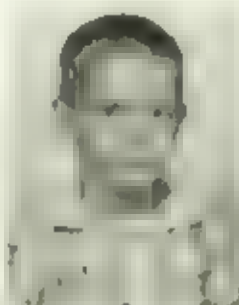
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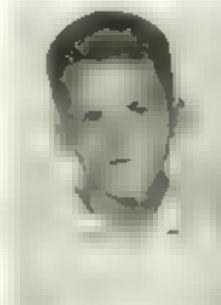
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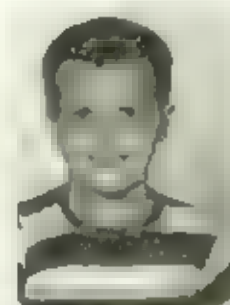
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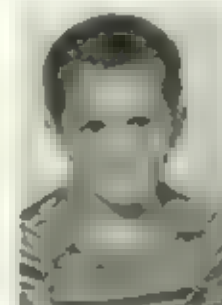
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Richie
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Rusty
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Craig
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David
Smith



Easter Time



Honest Injans



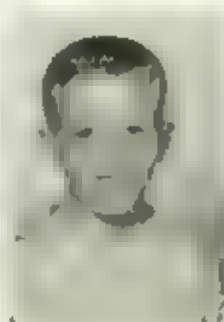
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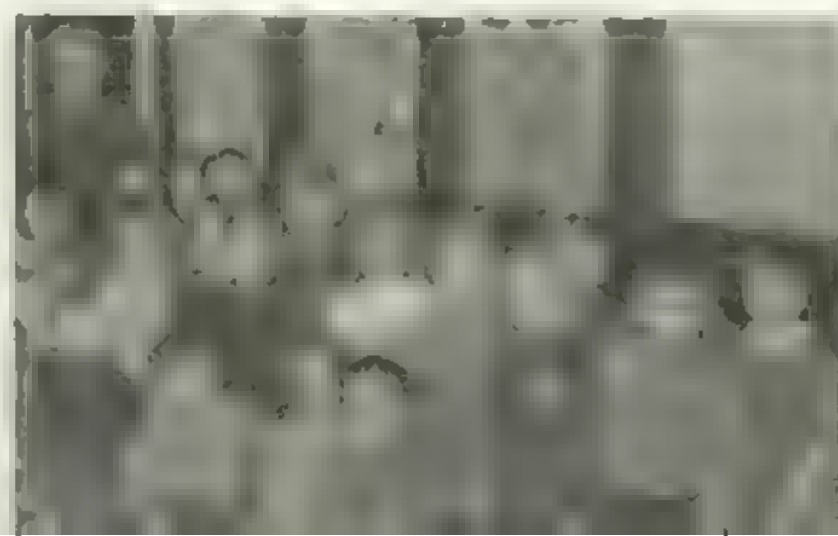
We love a parade



Mike
Wiseman

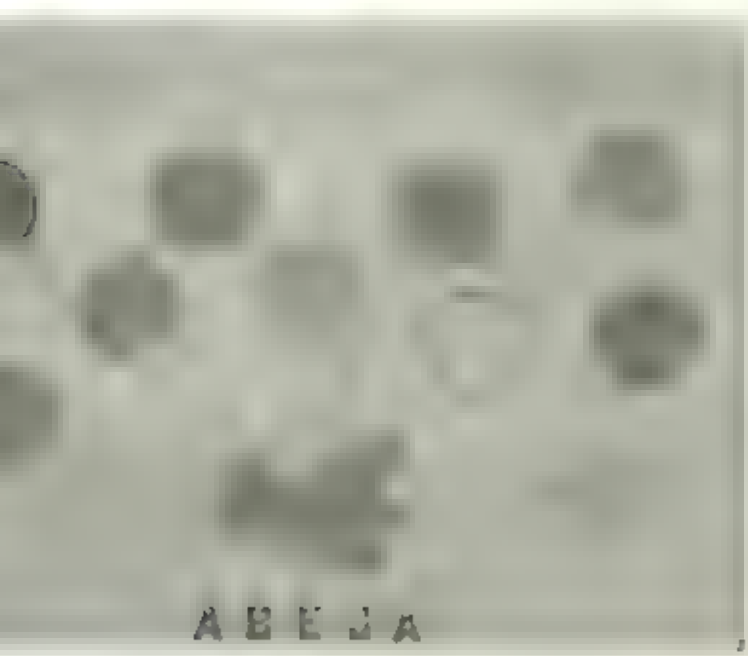
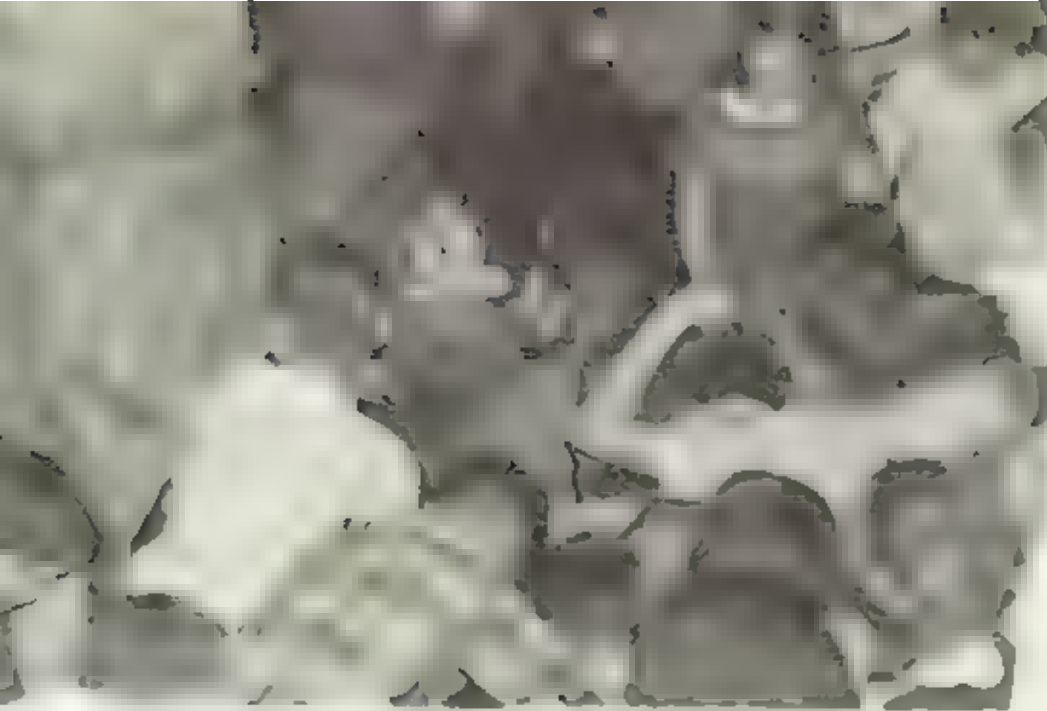


Danny
Witzig



G I Joe
Comes to School
All 22 in the same picture





SCENES
AROUND
SCHOOL



MIXED CHORUS



Front Row, L to R Mrs. Papich, Director, Cathy Nordyke, Linda Graham, Janine Salterberg, Janie Williams, Sherry Smith, Donna Mitchell, Bonnie Bradfield, Barbara Marshall, Sally Miksch, Debbie Dickey, Suzie Adam. Second Row, Stephen Brown, Stephen Dickey, Gary Mercer, Craig Wiggins, Gary Chacey, Ronnie Heald, David Cowgill, Raymie Greiner. Third Row, David Silvers, Jon Carris, Virgil Davis, Joey Ledger, Allan Ruggles, Dennis Smith, Randy Ellis, Charles Neece and Mike Coleman.



GIRLS CHORUS

L to R Janie Williams, Barbara Marshall, Donna Mitchell, Linda Graham, Sally Miksch, Sherry Smith, Debbie Dickey.

MIXED QUARTET



L. to R. Allan Ruggles, Sherry Smith, Linda Graham, Charles Neece

BOYS QUARTET



L. to R. Allan Ruggles, Charles Neece, Gary Chacey, Stephen Brown



JUNIOR HIGH BAND

Front Row left to right Katherine Kinnel Bonnie Bradford Sally Miskoe Leanne Satterberg Vicki Sue Myers Janet Gager John Gay Susan Neman Second Row L to R Stephen Dickey John Winters Charles Neer David W. Hill Jack Ledger Phil Hollingsworth Linda Mertz Mike Gorman Gary Cherry Michael Tanager Steven Coleman Cynthia Pepper Debbie Dickey Sherry Smith Back Row L to R Mr. Woodburn Director Garry Dickey Raylene Grier Martha Dee Bradford Suzie Adam and Randy Ellis

BEGINNERS BAND



Front Row left to right Joyce Day David Taylor Rennie Bradford Tim Wiggins Vickie Ellis Megan Dickey Back Row left to right Mr. Woodburn Director Frances Clark John Marshall Dixie Seeger Beverly McCormack Garyeeper Glen Hollingsworth



GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Back Row, left to right: Suzie Adam, Linda Graham, Wynona Mitchell, Vickie Myers, Janine Salterberg, Debbie Dickson.
Front Row, left to right: Barbara Marshall, Jamie Williams, Cathy Nordyke, Sherry Smith, Bonnie Bradfield, Donna Mitchell.

The Girl's Basketball team ended the season with one win and five losses. High scorer this year was Cathy Nordyke with 82 points. Next was Barbara Marshall with 31.

Girls' Record

14	Farson	25
35	Ollie	55
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Girls' Point Totals

Cathy Nordyke	82
Barbara Marshall	31
Jamie Williams	26
Vickie Myers	1



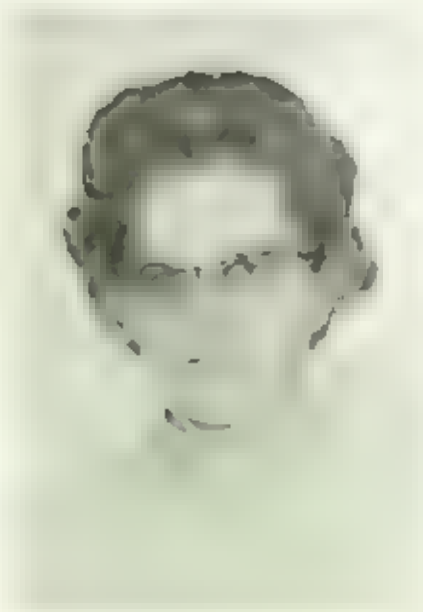
Loretta Wiggins
Cook



Clarence Clingman
Bus Driver



Betty Emmack
Secretary



Mrs. Chute
Remedial Reading



Pat Whitten
Cook

WHO'S WHO IN PACKWOOD JUNIOR HIGH



MOST FRIENDLY
Gary Mercer & Charles Neece
Sherry Smith

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Dennis Smith
Sherry Smith



LAZIEST STUDENT
Ronnie Heald
Janice Doty

BEST DANCER
Allan Ruggles
Cathy Nordvke

BEST LOOKING
Randy Ellis
Janie Williams

BEST ATHLETE
Gary Mercer
Cathy Nordvke

MOST FRIENDLY TEACHER
Sutton



MOST POPULAR
Randy Ellis
Cathy Nordvke

BIGGEST FLIRT
Randy Ellis
Cathy Nordvke

GIRLS' SOFTBALL



Front Row, Left to Right: Barbara Marshall, Janie Williams, Cathy Nordvke, Sherry Smith, Debbie Dickey. Back Row Left to Right: Susan Mitchell, Vicki Sue Myers, Linda Gustafson, Wyoming Mitchell, Mr. Sutton, Coach, Donna Bradford, Donna Mitchell, Janine Salterberg.

All four schools were instructed in the rules of softball by Mr. Anderson this year. Two games were played, our girls won one and lost one.

BOYS' FLAG FOOTBALL



Front Row Left to Right: Dennis Smith, Charles Norcia, Stephen Dickey, David Ellis, Tim Carr, Gary Mercer, Craig Wiggins. Back Row Left to Right: Dave Smith, Andy Davis, Aaron Hughes, Mr. Sutton, Coach, Gary Chace, & Dave Cowgill.

We played two games of flag football this year. Winning over Ollie 13-6 and losing to Richland 21-6.

BOYS' BASKETBALL



Front Row (Left to Right) Dennis Smith, Virgil Davis, Allan Ruggles, Randy Ellis, Gary Mercer, Mr. Sutton, Coach. Back Row (Left to Right) Joey Ledger, Stephen Dickey, Charles Neece, Craig Wiggins, Jon Carris, David Cowgill, Gary Carter.

The boys had a good season this year winning 4 games and losing 2. They beat every team in the District at least twice except Richland which proved too tough for our boys

BOYS POINT TOTALS

Virgil Davis	47
Randy Ellis	43
Allan Ruggles	38
Gary Mercer	34
Dennis Smith	23
Craig Wiggins	7
Jon Carris	6
Stephen Dickey	4
David Cowgill	4
Charles Neece	2
Joey Ledger	2
Raymie Greiner	2

BOYS RECORD

52	Ollie	15
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CHRISTMAS



The cast.



Janitors



The angel

MR. GRUMPY'S TOY SHOP

Janitors	Craig Wiggins Raymie Greiner Gary Chacey Stephen Brown
Mr. Grumpy	Charles Neece
School Girls	Debbie Dickey Barbara Marshall Sazie Adam Janie Williams Janne Salterberg
Mr. Smart	Jon Carris
Dr. Bonesetter	Allan Ruggles
Judge Wise	Randy Ellis
Mrs. Van Hoover	Sherry Smith
Miss Poetta Primrose	Cathy Nordyke
Miss Effie Shy	Janice Doty
Wooden Soldiers	Duane Smith, Gerald Wiggins, Randy Muntz, Randy Atwood
Big Dolls	Vicki Hill, Kelly Horton
Baby Dolls	Joanne Kurtz, Julia Mitchell
Rag Doll	Annette Witzig
Jack-In-The-Box	Jay Smith
Bo-Peep	Kelli Kanne
Boy Blue	John Mosinski
Two Gun Teddy	David Clark

OPERETTA



Prominent citizens



School girls



Old woman who lived in a shoe and her children



Mother Goose's children



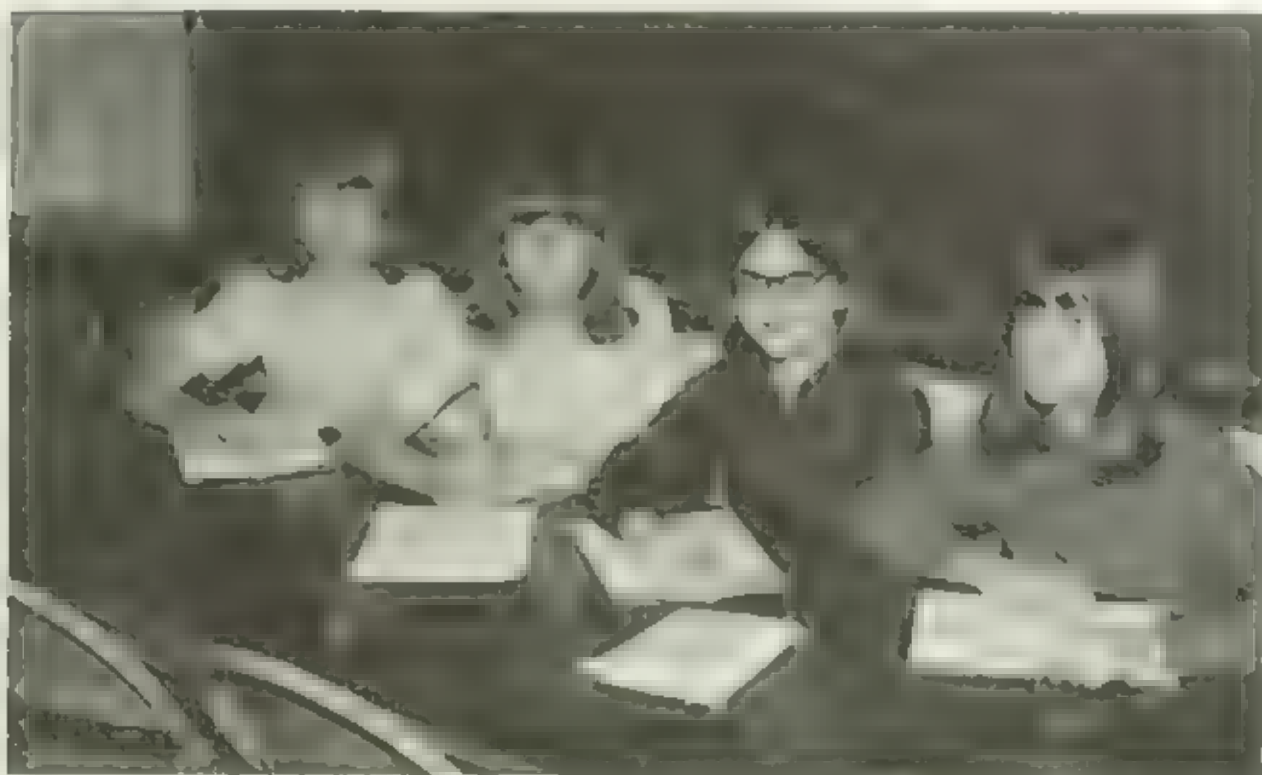
Girl's Chorus

8TH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS



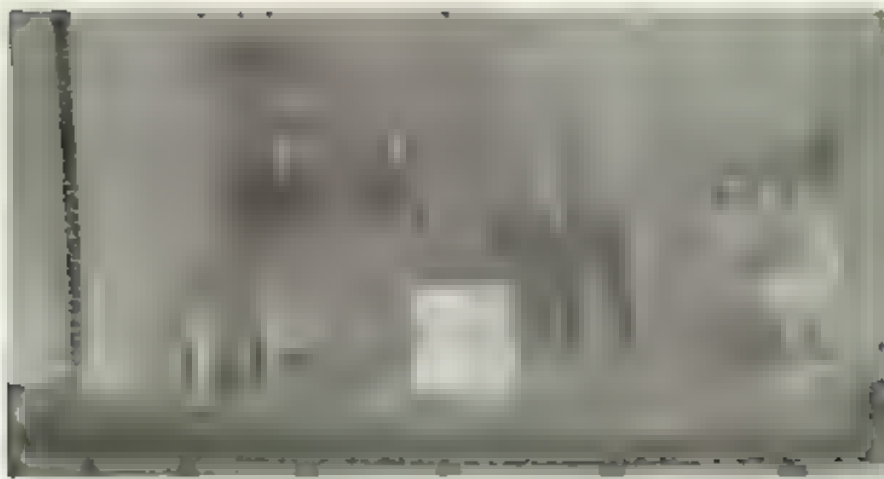
Sherry Smith, Secretary, Dennis Smith, President, Garv Mercer, Vice President, Cathy Nordvke, Treasurer

7TH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS



President, Janine Salterberg, Vice President, Janie Williams, Secretary, Debbie Dickey, Treasurer, Barbara Marshall

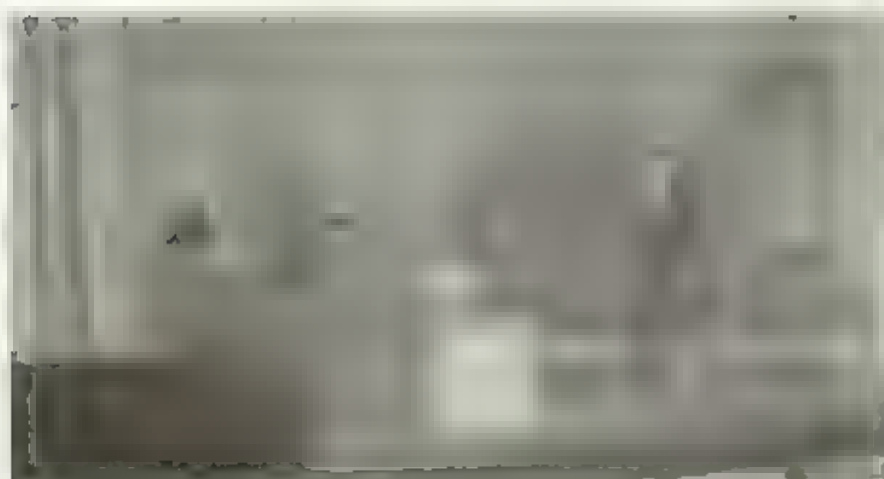
ONE ACT PLAYS



Speaking of necklaces, that's a pretty one you have on



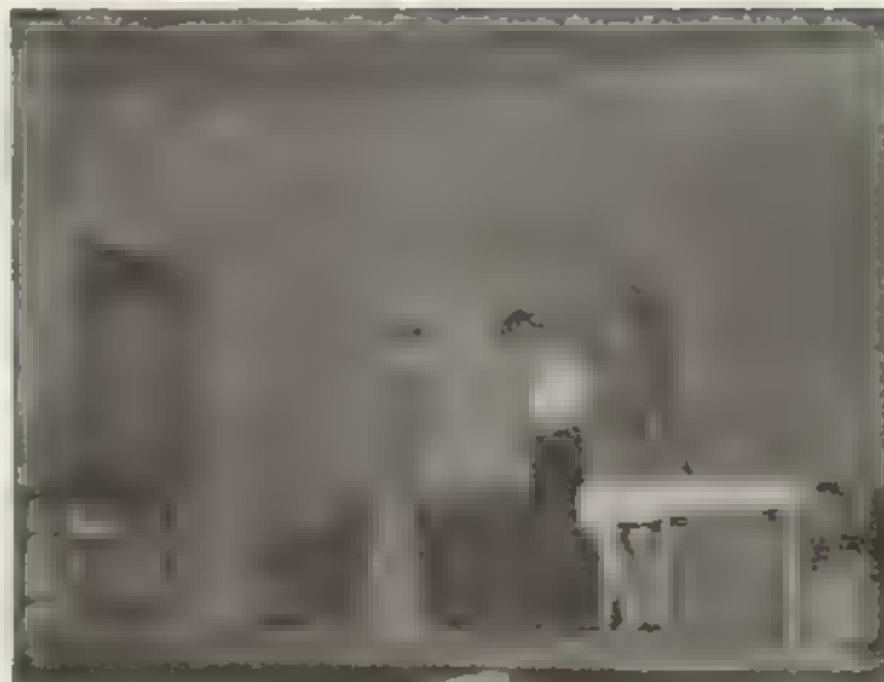
But what's that got to do with Gracie



Didn't you see anybody?

7TH GRADE PLAY Getting Gracie Graduated

Norma	Janie Williams
Bill	Raymie Greiner
Mary	Suzie Adam
Dora	Sally Miksch
Don	David Cowguill
Jerry	Mike Coleman
Blanche	Janine Salterberg
Phyllis	Vickie Myers
Nelson	Stephen Brown
Russell	Gary Chacey
Martin	Ronnie Heald
Gracie	Debbie Dickey
Miss Barton	Barbara Marshall
Mr. West	Joey Ledger
Isabel	Wynona Mitchell
Robert	Paul Hollingsworth



Why can't I be a beatnik?



Who cares about the older generation

8TH GRADE PLAY "BEAT IT BEATNIK" A Comedy in One Act

Bonnie	Cathy Nordyke
Lorraine	Sherry Smith
Cappy	Jon Carris
Thad	Dennis Smith
Mr. Carleton	Allan Ruggles
Mrs. Carleton	Donna Mitchell
Velma	Gary Mercer
Susette	Linda Graham
Clyde	Stephen Dickey
Miss Tracy	Bonnie Bradfield
Warren	Craig Wiggins

RICHLAND ATTENDANCE CENTER



For the past few years the Richland Center's student enrollment has been slowly increasing each school term. This year a total of 231 students were enrolled making an all time high.

Out of this group 26 eighth grade students received their diplomas at the Commencement Exercises held in the Pekin High School auditorium on May 26. Five out of the graduating class were recognized for scholastic achievement in lieu of the previous custom of having a valedictorian and a salutatorian.

With the job of teaching becoming more complicated and difficult each year the faculty found the days too short and the classes too large for the number of teachers serving in the Richland building. In spite of this handicap a well rounded educational program was presented. The largest task of all was the attempt to teach the boys and girls values so vital to the extremely difficult task of living in today's world. Special emphasis was placed upon keeping one's place in life, cooperation, self respect and respect for others, and perhaps most important of all, to attack a problem with straight thinking and a level sense of right and wrong.



Mr. Charles McClure

Many extra activities supplemented the regular program in both recreational and learning experiences. Softball, flag football, basketball and track were taught in the sports field. Two one-act plays, an all school Christmas program, a vocal concert, and an instrumental concert were presented with much approval from the spectators. Various parties were held throughout the year.

The upper grade students enjoyed a picnic at Lake Darling on Thursday of the last week of school. The lower grades were treated by each of their teachers.

EIGHTH GRADE



Joe
Adam



Christine
Allen



Susan
Andeway



Dianna
Chambers



Sally
Conklin



Mrs. Floribel Stempel



Steve
Connelly



Nancy
Cooney



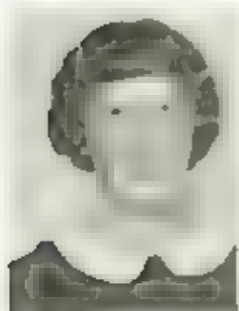
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Fleig



Vickie
Fulton



Dick
Green



Jean
Hammes



Jim
Harbison



Jeff
Hendrickson



Jonnie
Hesselstine



Lonnie
Hesselstine



Pat
Hockstra



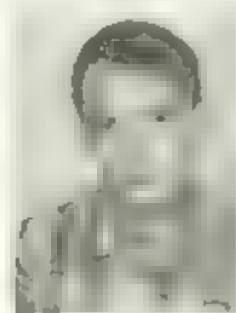
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From us to you



Ricky
Lankford



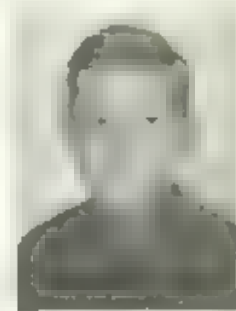
Phillip
Mathias



Kristy
Morgan



Christy
Mourer



Bobby
Neff



Rocky
Neff



The assignment for tomorrow is as follows



Bonnie
Stagers



Susan
Swartzwelter



Gary
Van Dyke

SEVENTH GRADE



Mrs. Wilma Mc Alec



Jim Adam



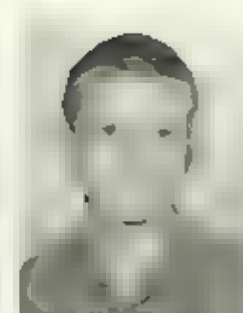
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Gloria Capps



Mary Connelly



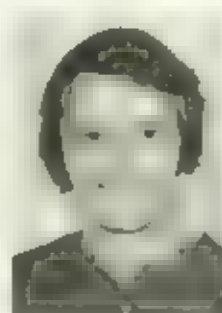
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Nancy Dickinson



Dennis Edwards



Becky Greiner



Charlotte Greiner



Dixie Hadley



Nancy Hadley



Sandy Hadley



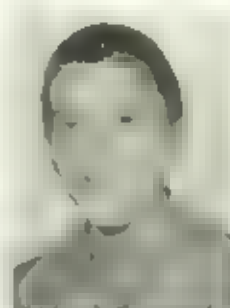
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Dixie Hinshaw



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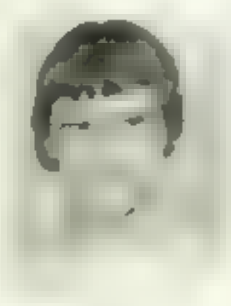
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Charles Linkford



Lyle Mahan



Phyllis Manning



Linda McReynolds



Barbara Neff



Steven Pfeder



Jerry Phillips



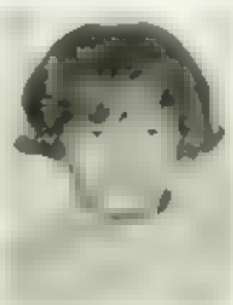
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John Schundler



Kenneth Sobaski



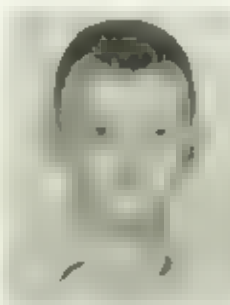
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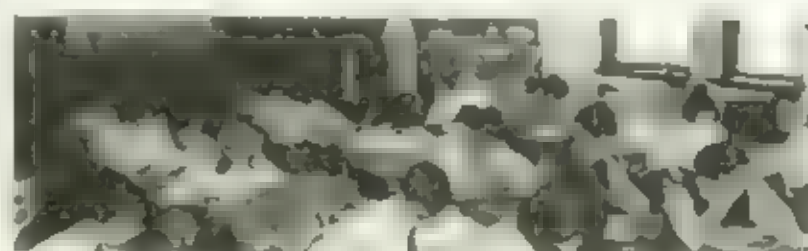
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Ricky Watson



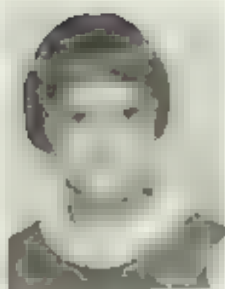
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SIXTH GRADE



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Adam



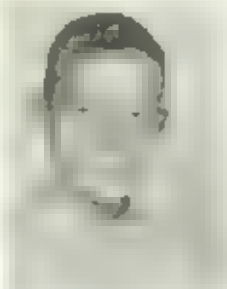
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Deanna
Chalupa



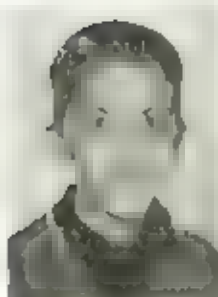
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Robert
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Mrs. Marian Dickinson



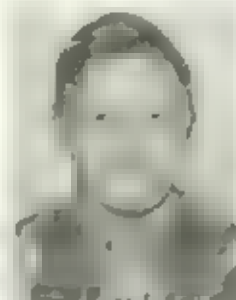
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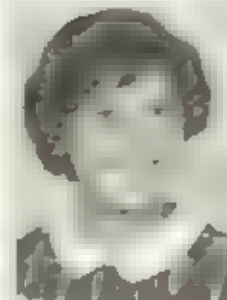
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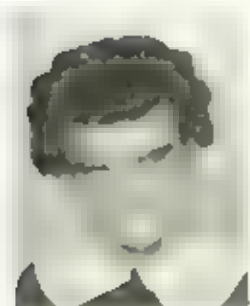
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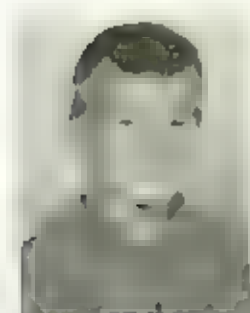
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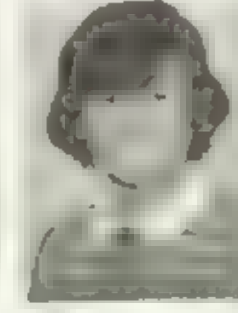
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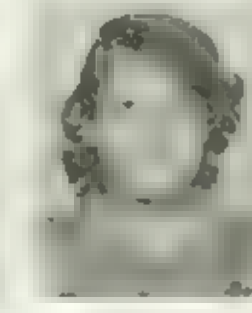
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Kathy
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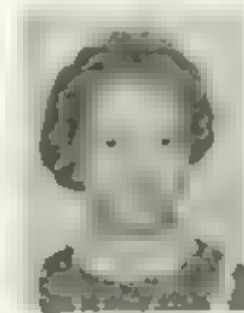
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Linda
Phelps



Deborah
Schandler



Sally
Spanier



Sheryl
Talley



Jeffrey
Wilson



Robert
McBath



FIFTH GRADE



Mrs. Margaret Rusk



Jeffery
Abbott



Andrew
Adam



Jerry
Allison



Terry
Allison



John
Chambers



Wilma
Chave



Diane
Dugger



Margaret
Fritchen



Judy
Fulton



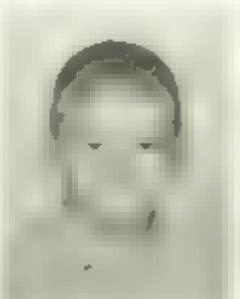
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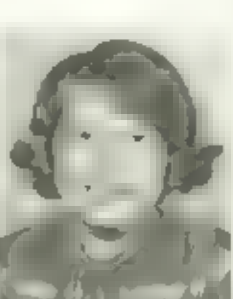
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Lee Ann
Hockstetter



Craig Lee
Hushow



Carol
Kneeling



Deborah
Leppert



Denise
Leppert



Corrie
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Christmas Fun



Donna
Neff



Mark
Pfeifer



Karen
Rupp



Halloween Treats



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Sobaski



Deanna
Stacy

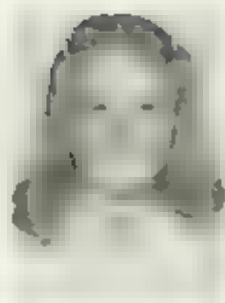


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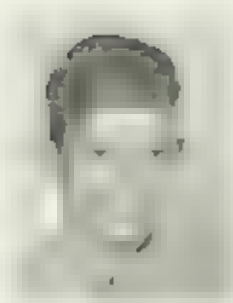
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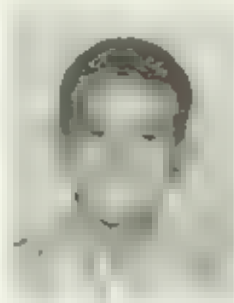
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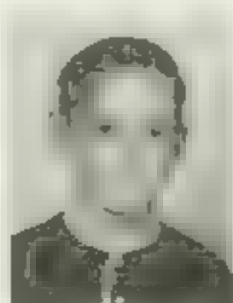
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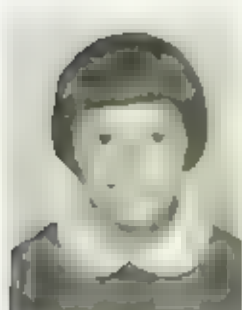
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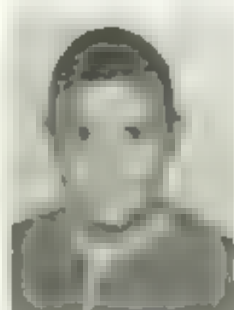
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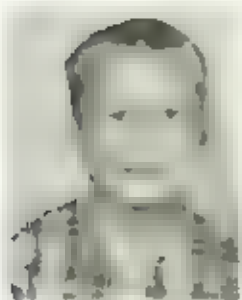
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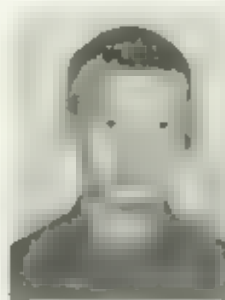
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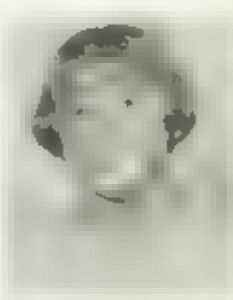
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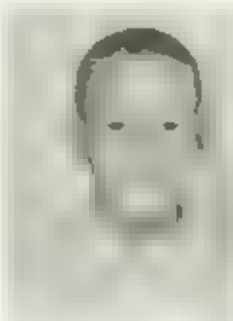
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Larry
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4TH Grade Goblins



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Westercamp



Kandis
Watson

THIRD GRADE



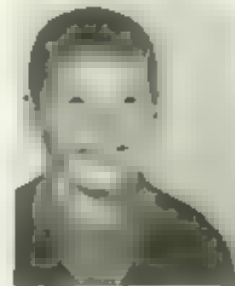
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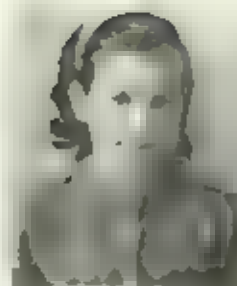
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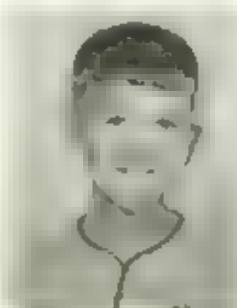
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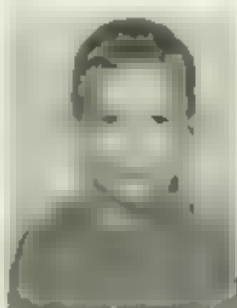
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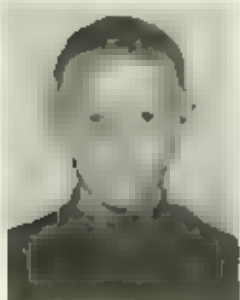
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Getting Ready for Christmas



Social Studies Shelter Projects

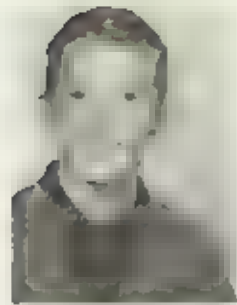


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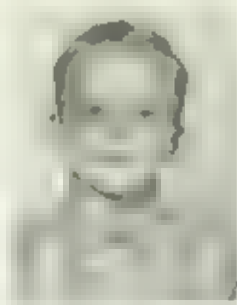
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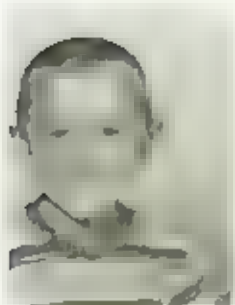
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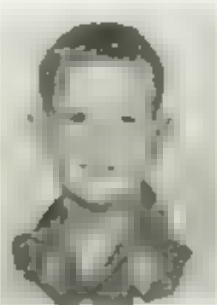
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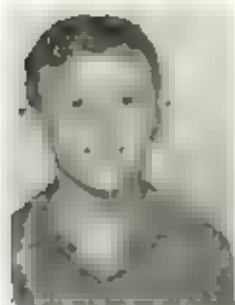
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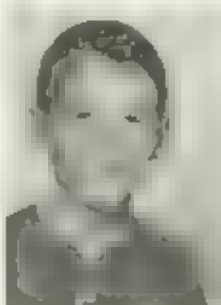
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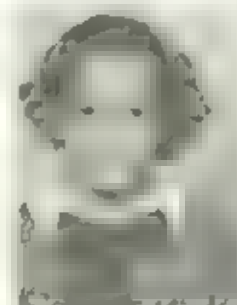
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Christmas 1966



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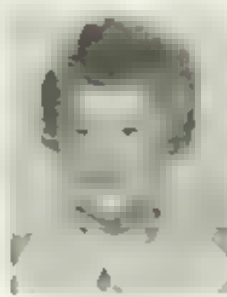
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Teresa
Nichols



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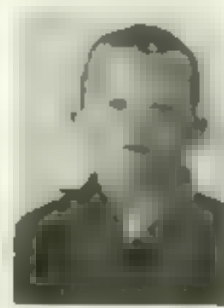
FIRST GRADE



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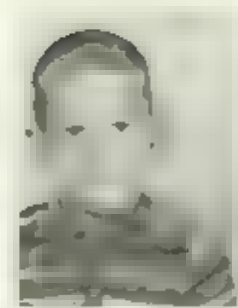
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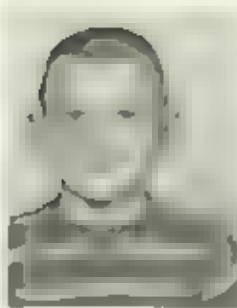
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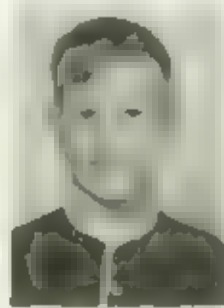
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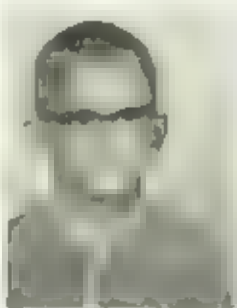
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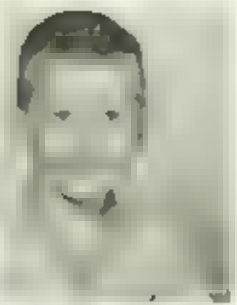
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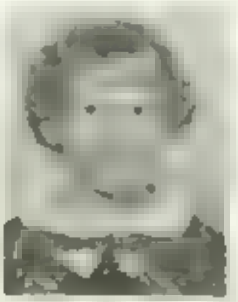
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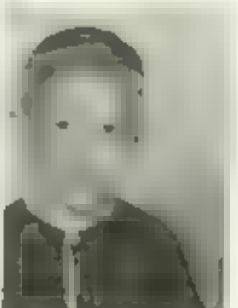
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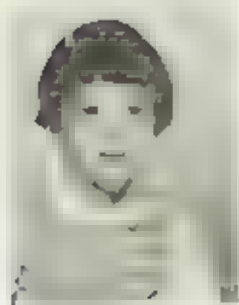


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The last day of school

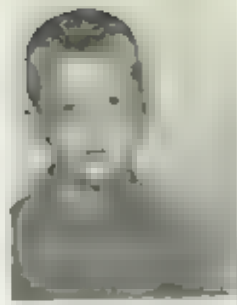
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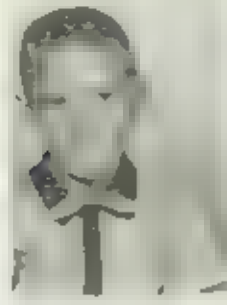
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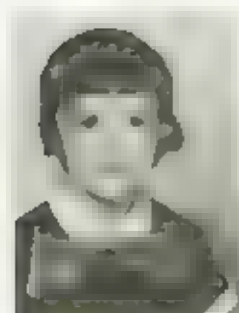
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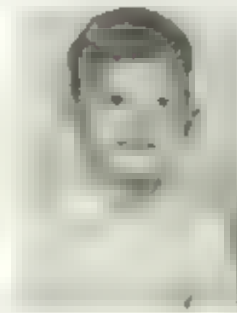
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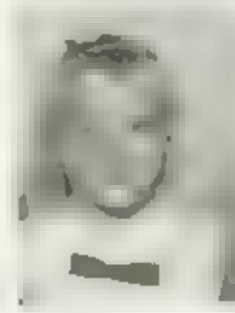
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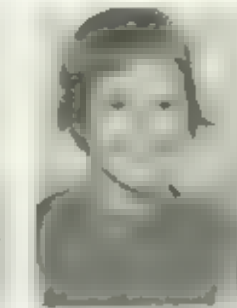
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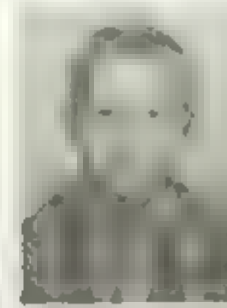
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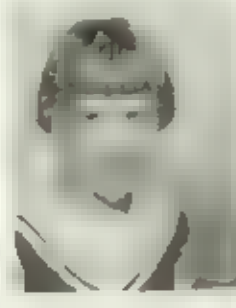
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Christmas Joy



Rhonda
Stagers



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Lorri
Talley



Ghosts and Goblins and Witches, too



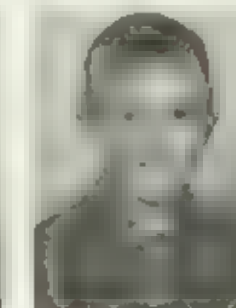
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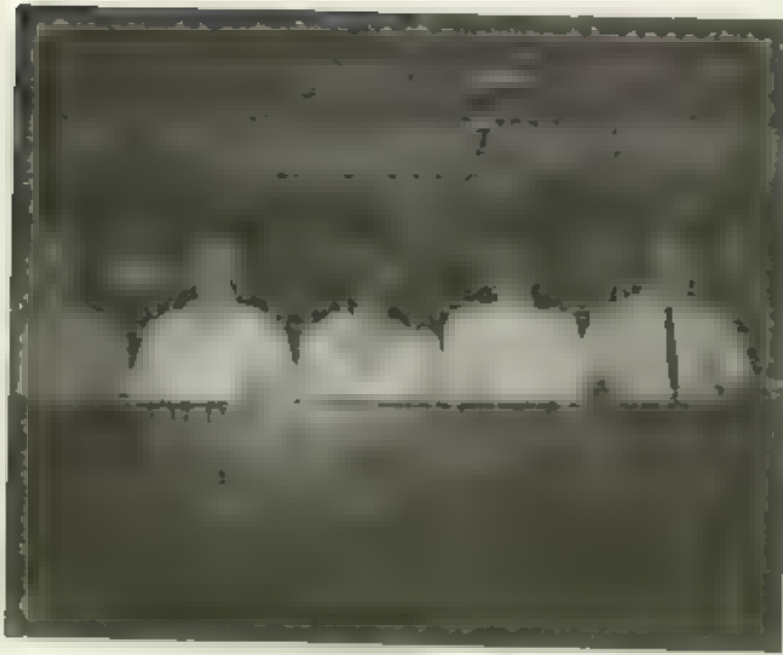


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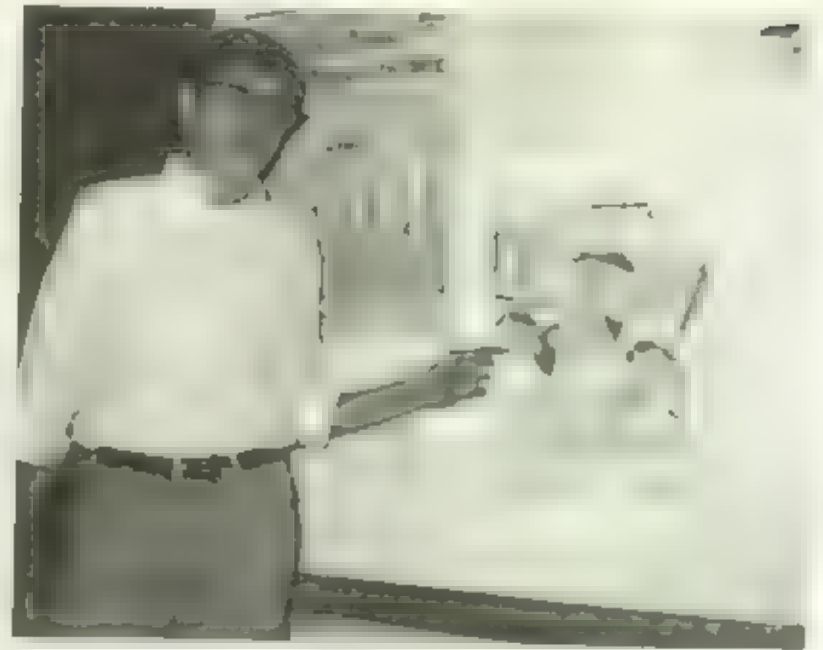


William
Wolf

HONORS AND ACTIVITIES



SCHOLASTIC LEADERS
L. to R. James Harbison, Christy Mourer, Krista Morgan, Christine Allen, Gary Van Dyke



Pat Hoekstra, Safety Patrol Captain



Ricky Lankford, Citizenship



Dianna Chambers, Citizenship



FIFTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS
L. to R. Steve Connelly Pres. Ricky Lankford Vice Pres. Christine Allen, Sec., Christy Mourer Treas



SCHOOL STORE SALES FORCE
Two students served each day during the noon hour. Candy and school supplies were sold

HONORS AND ACTIVITIES



SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL

Front Row: L. to R. Mrs. Marian Dickinson, Patrol Supervisor, Christine Allen, Susan Addaway, Charlotte Greiner, Vicki Fulton, Mary Connolly, Dixie Hendley, Scott Connolly, Susan Swartz, Heather Duggan, Barbara Lee. Back Row: Jeffery Phillips, Nancy Dickinson, Gloria Rogers, Sally Connolly, Gary Vack, Mike Jones, Edwardly Nancy Morgan, Ted Hendrickson, Dick Green, Lt., Pat Hoekstra, Captain.



SEVENTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS

L. to R. Kenneth Sorensen, Pres., Steve Pfeiffer, Vice Pres., Linda McReynolds, Sec., Charles Larkwood, Treas.



SIXTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS

L. to R. Tom Hoekstra, Pres., Sue Ann Adam, Vice Pres., Perry Lappert, Sec., Stephen Chiles, Treas.



SCHOOL NEWSPAPER STAFF

Seated: L. to R. Nancy Coney, Girl's Sports, Christine Allen, Editor, Christy Mourer, Eighth Gr. Standing: Kristy Morgan, Grade news, Jim Harbison, Feature Ed., Ricky Lankford, Boys' Sports, Donnie Keiser, Seventh Gr.: Suanne Adam, Sixth Grade.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL



First Row L. to R. Christy Mourer, Susan Andeway, Nancy Dickinson, Christine Allen, Jean Hammes, Sally Conklin, Diana Chambers. Second Row Mary Ann Ly, Barbara Nott, Susan Swartzweller, Cornie degen, Nancy Hedrickson, Kay Muetzenmeyer, Sandra Cooney. Back Row, Mrs. McClure Coach

This year's team surprised many by having its finest record in the last five years. Susan Andeway and Nancy Dickinson were shifted from the guard court to the forward court in an effort to strengthen the offense. These girls along with Christy Mourer did a very respectable job to lead their team to four wins against two losses for the season. The guard court composed of Jean Hammes, Sally Conklin and Christine Allen also played well.

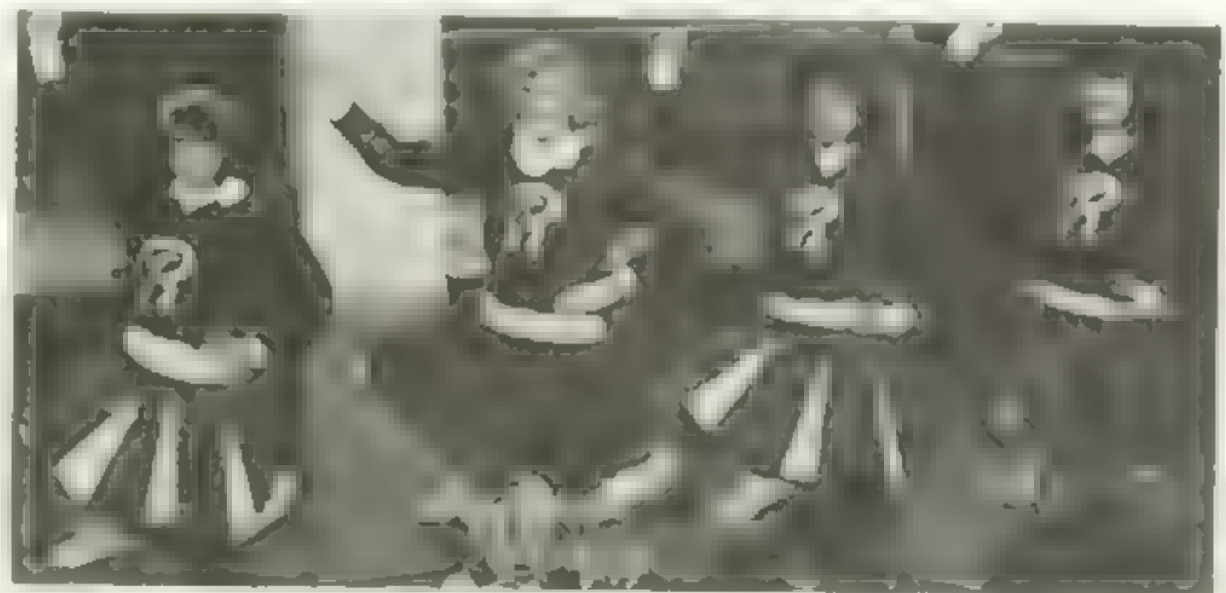
In the first meeting with Ollie at Ollie the Richland girls lost a heart breaking one pointer 43 to 42 after leading by a small margin throughout the entire game. This loss was later avenged at Richland before a capacity filled house in another one point ballgame 47 to 46. Both these games were well played and thoroughly enjoyed by the fans.

It is quite significant that two junior high teams could play two one point ball games against each other with each team winning one game. Both teams deserved a victory for a job well done.

Season scoring honors went to Susan Andeway with 85 points followed by Christy Mourer with 61 and Nancy Dickinson with 56.

The Record

We		They
28	Farson	17
42	Ollie	43
40	Packwood	31
27	Farson	30
47	Ollie	46
18	Packwood	16



Cheerleaders
L. to R. Bonnie Stagers, Joy Hesselstine, Gloria Capps, Vicki Fulton

BOYS' AND GIRLS' TRACK



First Row, L. to R. Joe Adam, Philip Mathias, Lonnie Hesseltine, Jonnie Hesseltine, Ricky Spray, Steve Connelly, Ricky Lankford. Second Row, Tom Wolf, Charles Lankford, Donnie Keiser, Jim Harbison, Pat Hoekstra, Ricky Watson, Dick Green, Steve Pfeifer. Third Row, Scott Connelly, Dennis Edwards, Jeff Hendrickson, Junior Adrian, Charles McClure, Coach.

Nineteen boys and ten girls reported for track practice this spring. Each ran in one meet as a Richland team, winning first place in an intramural district meet with Farson, Ocie, and Packwood.

Joe Adam, Philip Mathias, Lonnie Hesseltine, Jonnie Hesseltine, Steve Connelly, Ricky Lankford, Dick Green, and Pat Hoekstra were placed on the Pekin team which won second place in the Keokuk County Meet and won first in a dual meet with Hedrick. The most outstanding runner was Ricky Lankford who placed first in every event he participated in this year.

Carla Lankford, Susan Swartzwelter, Sally Conklin, Nancy Dickinson, and Jean Hammes were placed on the Pekin Team which won over Hedrick in the only girls' meet played outside the district.



L. to R. Carla Lankford, Susan Swartzwelter, Christine Allen, Becky Greener, Jean Stagers, Susan Andeway, Christy Mourer, Sally Conklin, Nancy Dickinson. Not pictured, Jean Hammes.

BOYS' BASKETBALL



First Row L. to R. Ricky Lankford, Pat Hoekstra, Steve Connelly, Dick Green, Joe Adam. Second Row Jeff Hendrickson, Tim McEwen, Joseph Kaiser, Scott Connelly, James Adair, Jerry Plamps. Third Row Mr. McEwen, Coach, Tony Wall, Gary Van Dyke, Ricky Watson, Kenny Sobaski.

Another fine basketball won and lost record was earned this year by an eager group of boys that were determined to continue the winning habit that had been established by two other previous Richland teams. Since the 1966 starting team graduated last spring, a complete new lineup was formed. After winning their first two starts against Farson and Olie, a string of fourteen consecutive Rich and victories existed. However, this string was halted by Packwood, 35 to 28. Richland won the remaining games on the schedule to finish the season with five wins and one loss.

The highlight of the season was the return game played with Packwood at Richland. Getting off to a fast start, Richland led at the end of the first quarter 16 to 4 and increased their lead to 28 to 7 by halftime. With substitutes seeing action during the last half, play slowed somewhat, and at the final buzzer the score was 42 to 22.

Richland's record during the past three years is now 20 wins against 2 losses.

In the first game of the season, Dick Green scored twenty two points in a victory over Farson, 33 to 31. With about a second and a half remaining to be played, the score was tied at 31 all. Adam threw the ball from out of bounds to Green who shot and made the winning basket.

Pat Hoekstra and Ricky Lankford did not enter the starting lineup until the second and third games of the season. Their rebounding and defensive work was an important factor in Richland's victories.

Individual scoring honors go to Dick Green with 82 points followed by Pat Hoekstra and Steve Connelly with 39 points each.

All of the starting lineup will graduate in the spring.

The Record

We		They
33	Farson	31
32	Olie	15
28	Packwood	35
33	Farson	22
36	Olie	11
42	Packwood	22

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

THE LITTLE BLUE ANGEL

RICHLAND ELEMENTARY
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM 1966

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Billy	Junior Adrian
Maria	Suanne Adam
King	Steve Connelly
Little Blue Angel .	Sandra Cooney
Lady Margaret . . .	Nancy Cooney
Lady Esther . . .	Diane Chambers
Lady Isabelle .	Vicki Fulton
First Herald	Tom Wolf
Second Herald	Jeff Hendrickson
Third Herald	Bobby Neff
First Guard	Craig Hackert
Other Guards	Perry Leppert
	Dwight Mathias
	Jeff Wilson
Ballet Dancers .	Third Grade Girls
Castle Band	Fifth Grade
Tiny Tots	Kindergarten
Bells	First Grade
Bakers	Fourth Grade Boys
Castle Choir	Six, Seven & Eight
Jesters . .	Third Grade Boys
Gift Bearers	Fifth Grade
Snowmen	Second Grade
Icicles	Fifth Grade Girls
Stars	Fourth Grade Girls

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT I

Overture	Mrs. Papich
Ballet	Fourth Grade Girls
Things	Suanne Adam
Christmas Eve	Sixth, Seventh, Eighth
The Great Big Christmas Tree	Junior Adrian

Do You Hear What I Hear?	Simeone
	Girls Double Quartette

ACT II

Here Comes The Band	Fifth Grade
Baby Sleep	Kindergarten
The Bells	First Grade
The King's Royal Bakers	Fourth Grade Boys
Christmas Night	Sixth, Seventh, Eighth
The Jesters	Third Grade Boys
What Shall You Choose	Fifth Grade
The Snowman	Second Grade
Icicles	Fifth Grade Girls
The Stars	Fourth Grade Girls
Winter Wonderland	Bernard
White Christmas	Berlin
	Sixth, Seventh, Eighth Chorus

ACT III

The King's Song	Steve Connelly
The Angel's Song	Sandra Cooney
Finale	Sixth, Seventh, Eighth



It's my Christmas gift The one that he picked out



She's in some mood for a merry Christmas

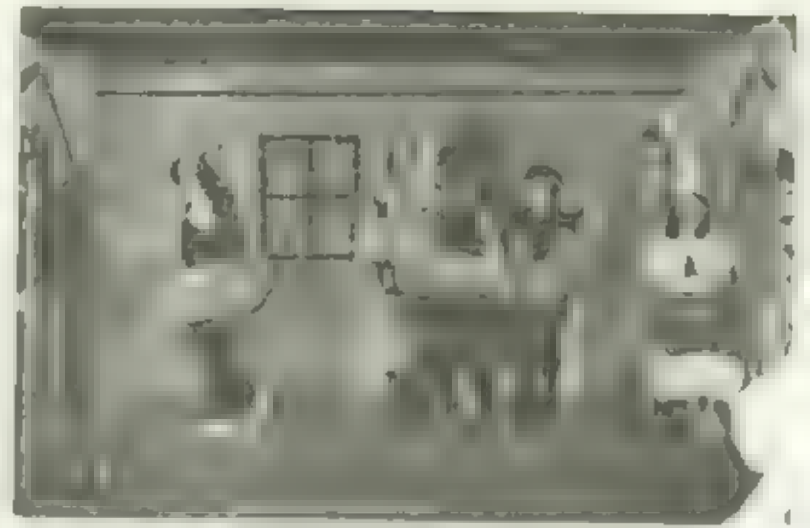


Well, what do you want? Do you know?

CHRISTMAS



Christmas Eve



Fourth Grade Girls Ballet Dancing



Things' Things' Things'



You can see the Little Blue Angel



The Great Big Christmas Tree



The Heralds



Fifth Grade Castle Band.



Kindergarten. The Tiny Tots

PROGRAM



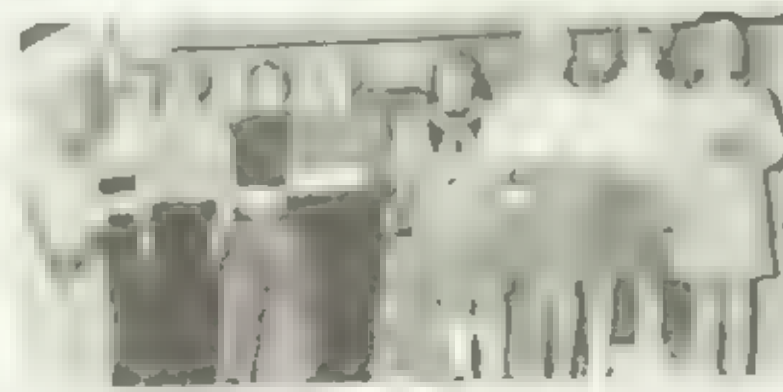
First Grade Bells



First Grade Bells



Third Grade Bells



Third Grade Bells



Second Grade Snowmen



Fourth Grade Bells



Fourth Grade Snow



Sleep is a wonderful thing, you know



The Little Blue Angel



Female

CONCERT BAND



Front Row: Gorge Hogan, Kristy Morgan, Suanne Adam, Debra Morgan, Nancy Hendrickson, Dixie Hadley. Clarinets: Carol Cox, Nancy Hendrickson, Linda McReynolds, Gloria Capps, Vicki Funtor, Susan Swartzweller, Christine Allen, Christy Mourer. French Horns: Sally Conklin, Shirley Rapp. Cornets: Tom Hoekstra, Tom Wolf, Bobby Neff, Jeff Hendrickson. Saxophones: Cindy Fleig, Ricky Watson, Barbara Neff, Beverly McReynolds. Baritone: Steve Pfeifer. Trombones: Dwight Mathias, Perry Leppert, Craig Hackert, Gary Van Dike, Dennis Kaiser, Jim Harbison, Joe Adam. Percussions: Jean Harbison, Mr. Woollums, Director, Wally Cox. Junior Adrian, Pat Hoekstra, Ricky Lankford.

BEGINNERS BAND



First Row: L to R: Deanna Spry, Denise Leppert, Carl Krewson, Deborah Leppert, Judy Edson, Wendy Eric, Lee Ann Hoekstra. Second Row: Greg Hoskins, Doris Neff, Dennis Sisk, Andy Adams, Mark Weston, Karen Rapp, Christine Honnes, Dennis Hushaw, Mark Center. Standing: Mr. Woollums, Director, Terry Adison, Jerry Allison, Lyle Greiner, John Chambers.

INVITATIONAL CONTEST



Tom Wolf



Bobby Neff



Nancy Dickinson



Christy Mourer



Gloria Capps



Carol Cox



Christine Allen



Susan Swartzwelter



Connie Hogan



Suzanne Adam



Helen Neff



Dana Neff



Ricky Watson



Cindy Fleig



Jim Harbison



Joe Adam



Gary Van Dyke



Donnie Keiser



Craig Hackert



Ricky Lankford

Fifteen out of the twenty two contestants pictured on this page won superior ratings at the invitational contest held at Ottumwa. All solos excepting first year students had to be played from memory

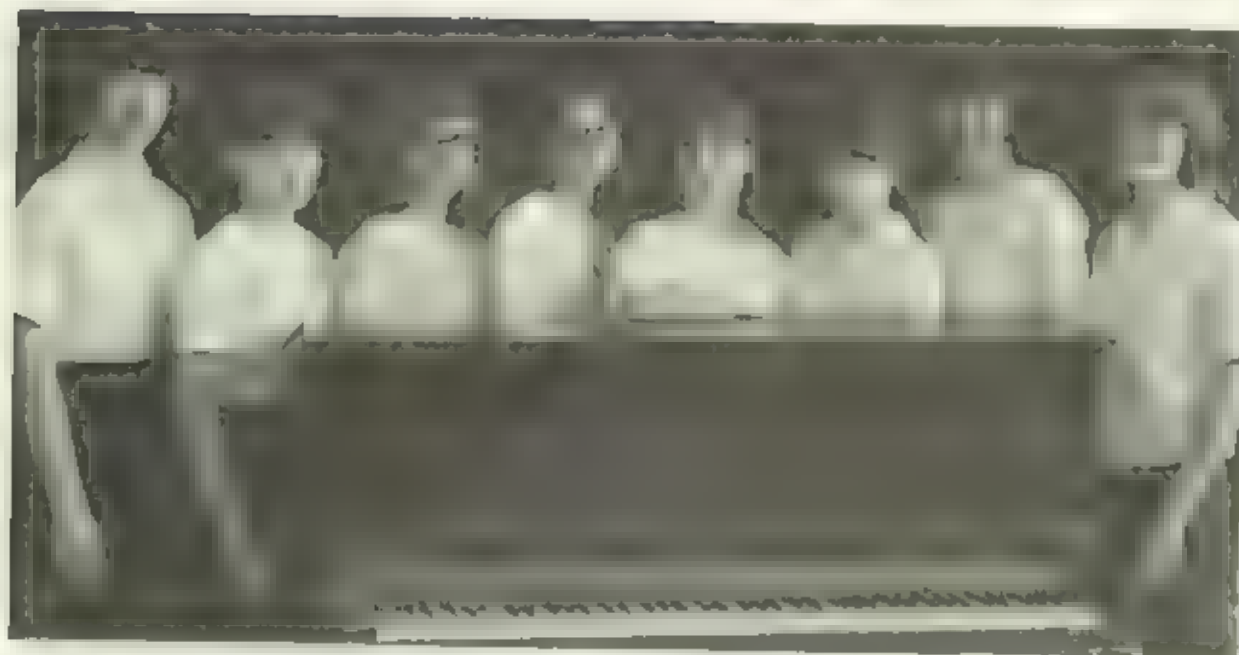


Jean Hammes



Steve Pfeiler

VOCAL MUSIC



Girls' Quartet
 L. to R. Jean Hennes, Lynn Larkford, Carol Clark, Kelly Morgan, Susan Swartz,
 Walter, Barbara Neel, Sandy Gault, Christy Maeder



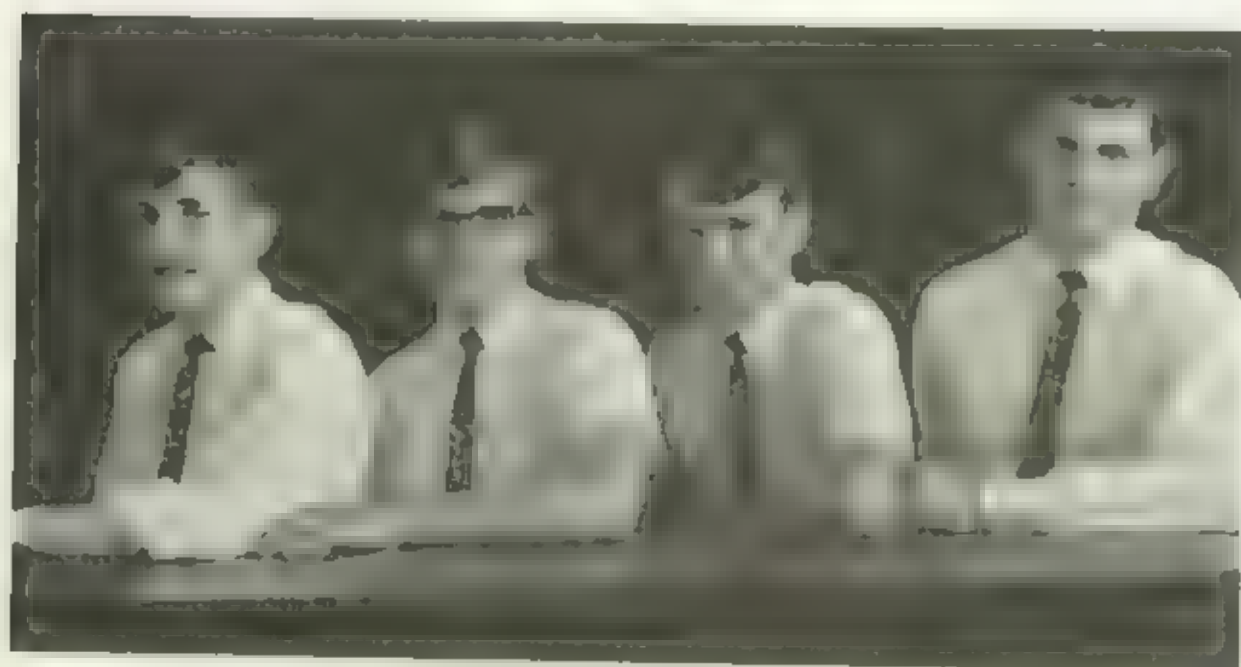
Around The World



Mixed Chorus



Church Federation



Boy's Quartet
 L. to R. Ricky Lankford, Jack Green, Joe Adams, Steve Connely



When You Were A Peep

VOCAL MUSIC

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Little David Play on Your Harp - Spiritual He's Gone
Away - American Folk Song

BOYS' CHORUS - SEVENTH & EIGHTH

The Keeper - Old English Folk Song
Dogie Song - Cowboy Song
Alma Mater - College Song

GIRLS' SEMI CHORUS

Around the World - Victor Young
Tip Toe thru the Tulips - Burke - MacLean

BOYS' QUARTETTE

Juda' - Carlton
When You Wore a Tulip - Wenrich
Underneath the Bamboo Tree - Nonsense Song

MIXED SPECIAL GROUP

If You Believe - Di Minneo Powell
Isle of Capri - Grosz - Stickles

MIXED CHORUS

Early in the Morning - Spiritual
When the Saints Go Marching Home - Spiritual
Catch a Falling Star - Vance
Give Me Your Tired Your Poor - I Berlin

INSTRUCTOR Mrs. Estella Papich

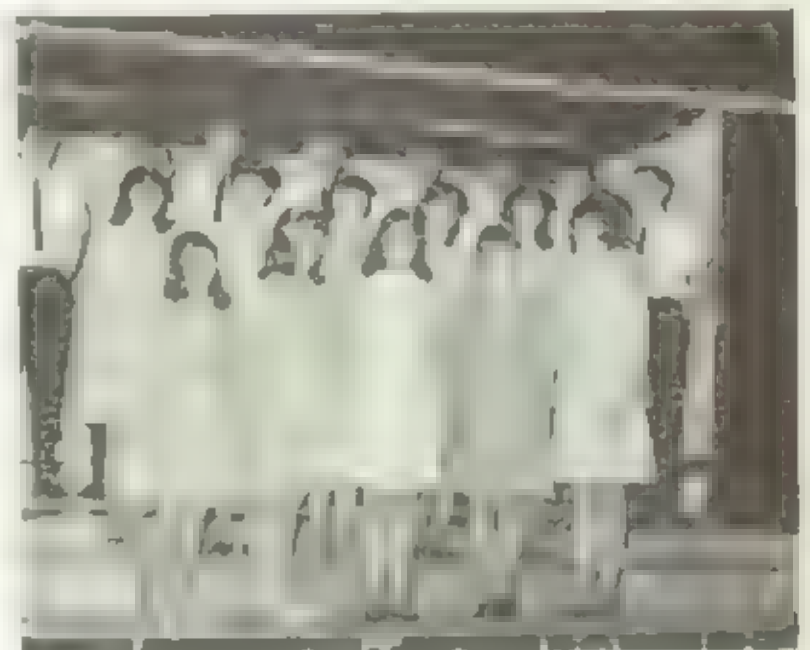
PAGE TURNER Dixie Hadley



Boys' Chorus



Girls' Chorus



Mixed Special Group



Let me go, Mom



Well, there is spring And then comes summer, you know



You old bear Where are your claws?

Well, there is spring And then comes summer, you know



SEVENTH GRADE

PRESENTS

"ONE HAPPY FAMILY"

CAST

MRS. OBERSTATTER	NANCY DICKINSON
MR. OBERSTATTER	KENNY SOBASKI
WILLIE—THE POET	STEVE PEPPER
HENRY—THE WRITER	JERRY PHILLIPS
EMMYLOU	GLORIA CAPPS
SUSIE—THE ARTIST	SHIRLEY RAPP
ARABELLA—THE MODEL	DIXIE HADLEY
HARRY STEVENS	DONNIE KEISER

.....

DIRECTOR	MRS MC AFEE
STAGE HANDS	CONNIE HOGAN
	TOM WOLF

.....

GIRLS' SEMI-CHOURS	HI HO NOBODY HOME
	BLACK EYED SUSIE

BOYS QUARTETTE	MY GAL SAL
	JOHN JACOB JINGLEHEIMER SCHMIDT

The Cast



EIGHTH GRADE

PRESENTS

"IT'S COLD IN THEM THAR HILLS"

A HILLBILLY COMEDY

CAST

PAW	RICKY SPRAY
MAW	CHRISTINE ALLEN
SNODDY	SUSAN ANDEWAY
PRISSY LOU	SALLY CONKLIN
MANDY	CAROL FLEIG
BICKY MAE CARLA LANKFORD
SARRY	SUSAN SWARTZWELTER
NETTIE ANN	BONNIE STAGERS
ZEKE	PHILIP MATHIAS
BILL VANDEMERE	RICKY LANKFORD
MRS. VANDEMERE KRISTY MORGAN
THE PREACHER JONNIE HESSELTINE

DIRECTOR	MR. MCCLURE
STAGE HANDS JEAN HAMMES
	GARY VAN DYKE

USHERS Jim Harbison
	Jeff Hendrickson
	Ricky Watson
	Junior Adrian

The Cast



h.h



Ya can't do this awful thing Paw

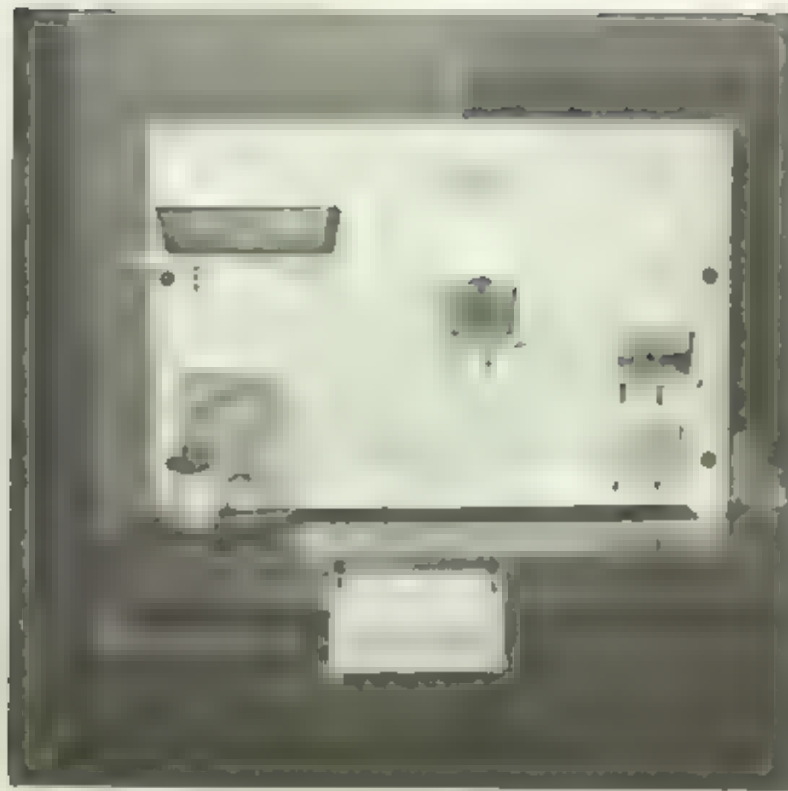


Paw sez t' entertain ya

Dearly beloved, we are gathered here—



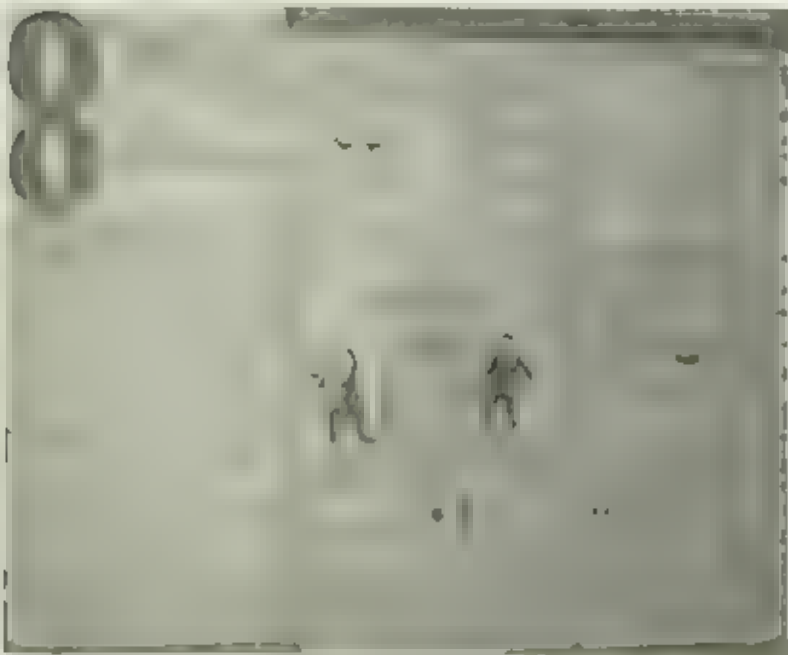
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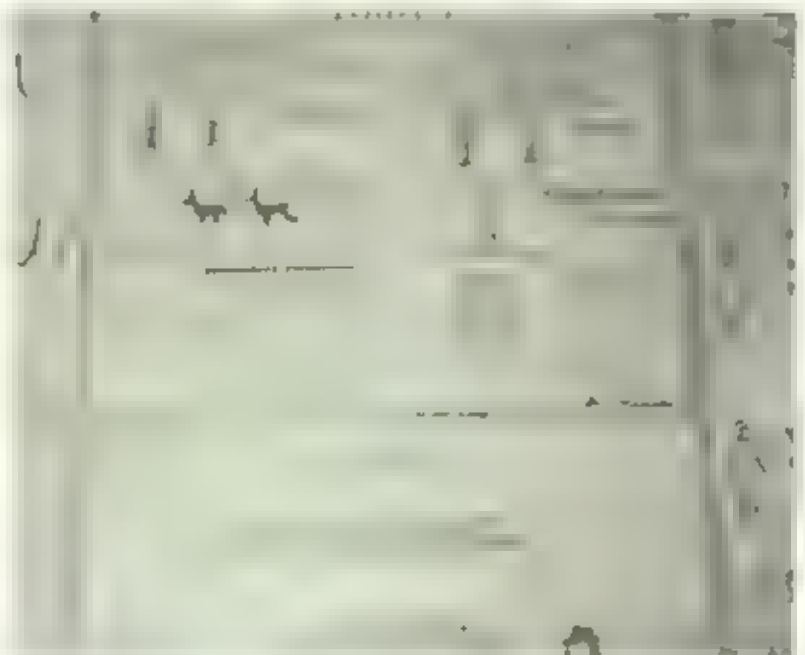
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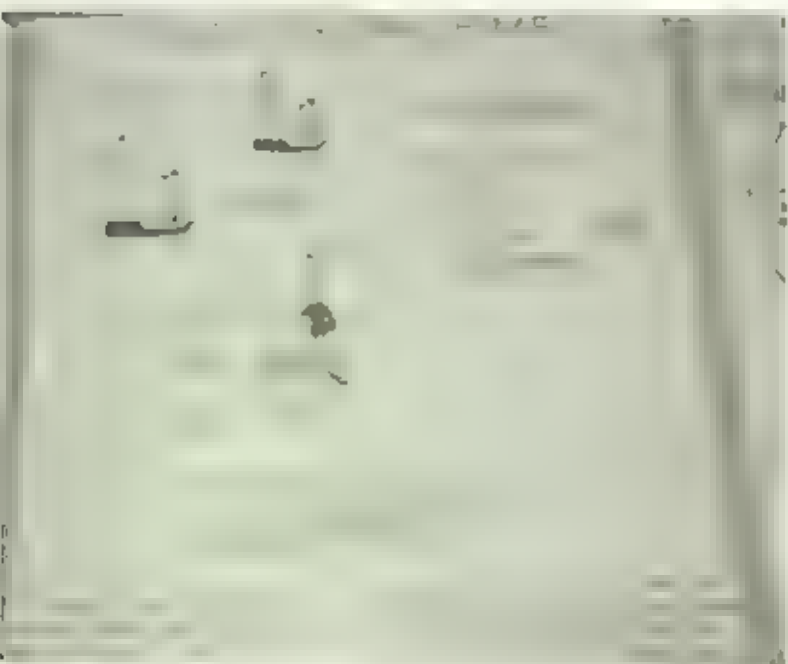
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Eighth Grade Math



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Mr. McClure explains negative numbers to Exhibit patrons

EXHIBITS



Dresses made in home-ec



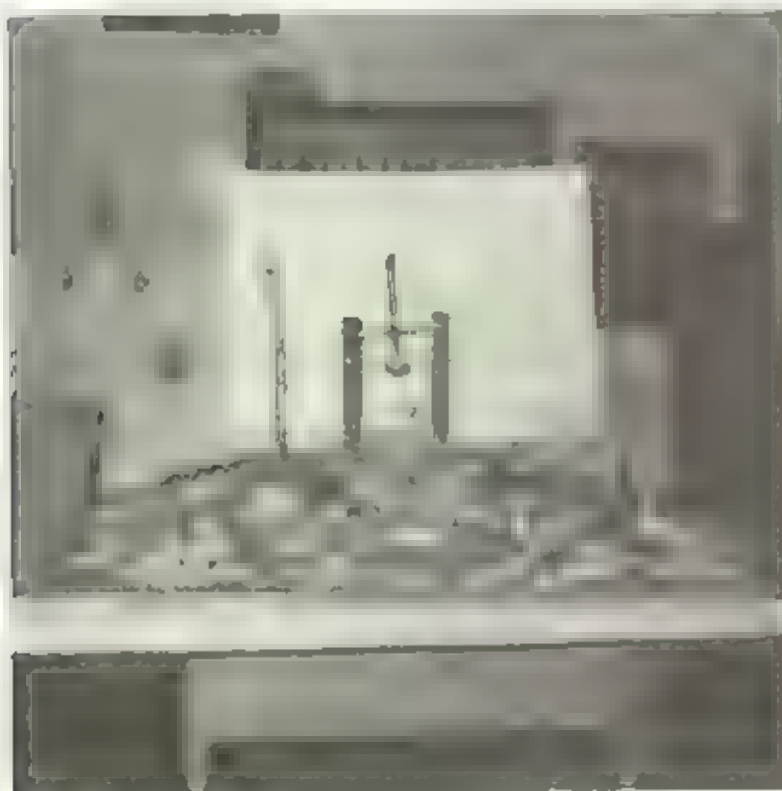
Age for you Mrs. M. Allen



Upper grade clay figures



7 and 6 Art



Seventh Grade Soc Studies



Sixth Grade Rock Collection

HALLOWEEN DANCE



Steve Allen



And the Palbearers



Ted Lee and the Royal Teens



Go Gals go



Oh what a oh where did my little partner go



Cheryl sings



The day after



Stretch Steve

SKATING PARTIES



Why didn't I bring my pillow



Glory, glory



I can't wait to look



Save one for me



Hang on Rick



This sure is hard



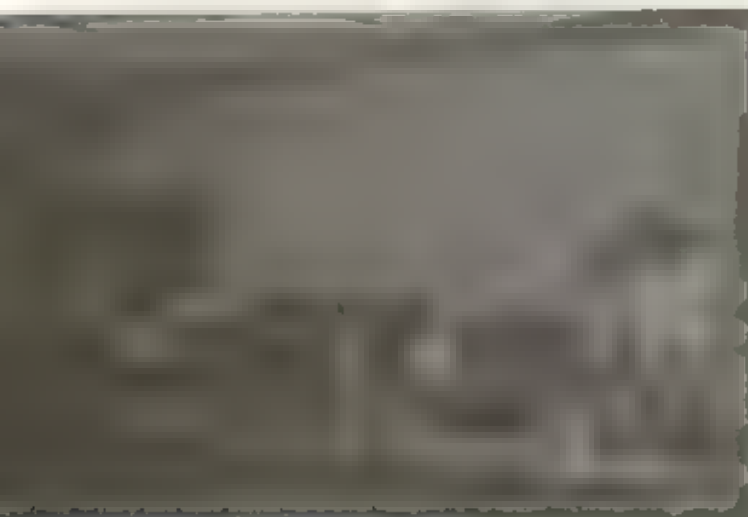
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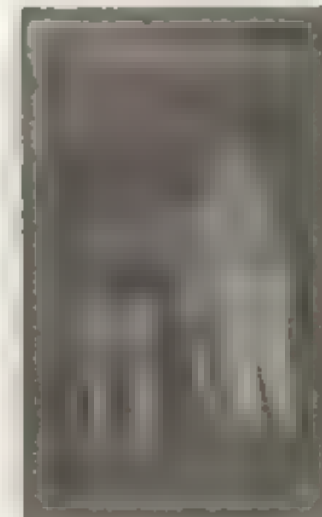
See what I got



The Twister



This sure is dull



Come on gang

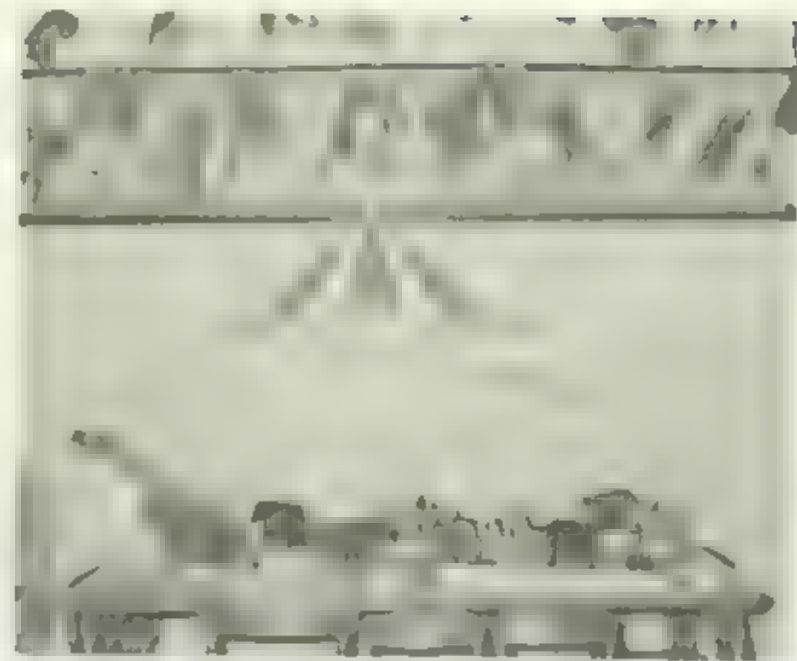


Homeward bound

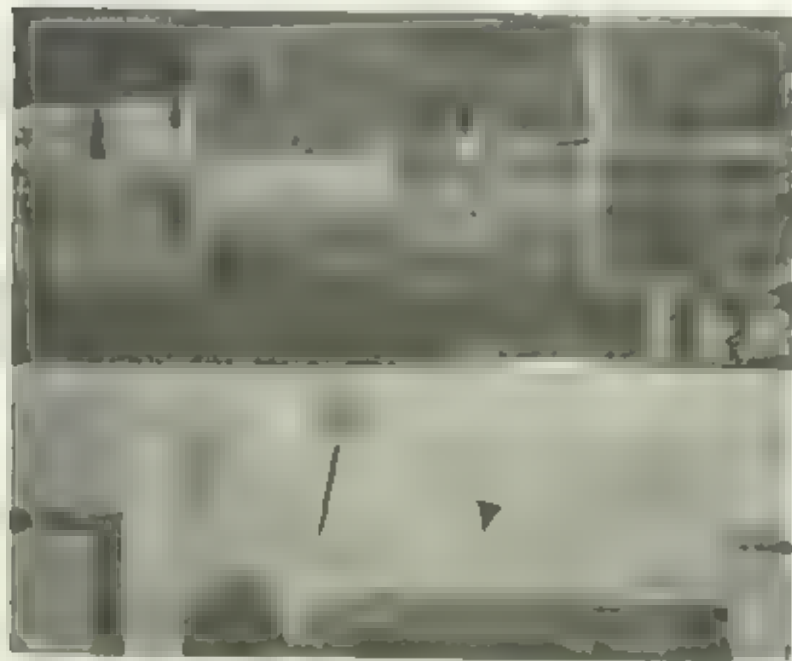
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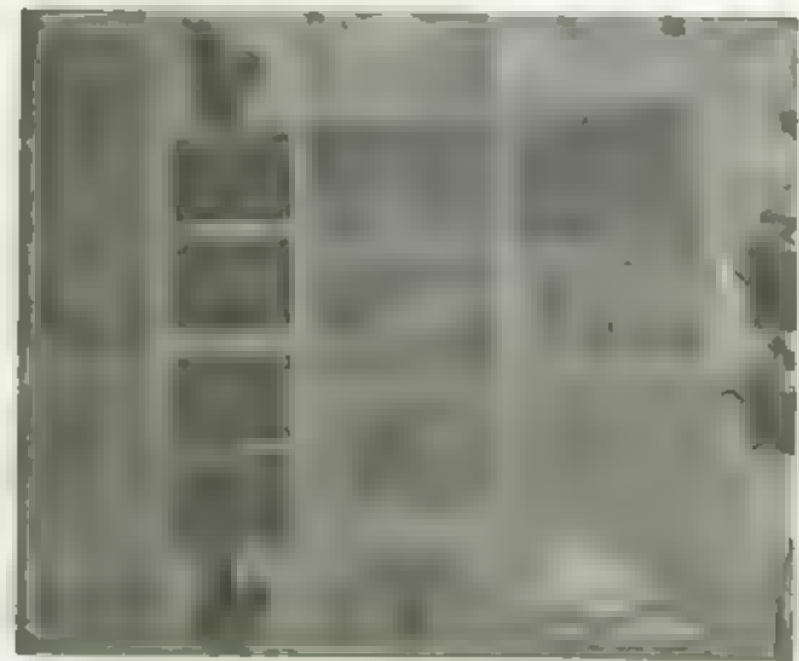
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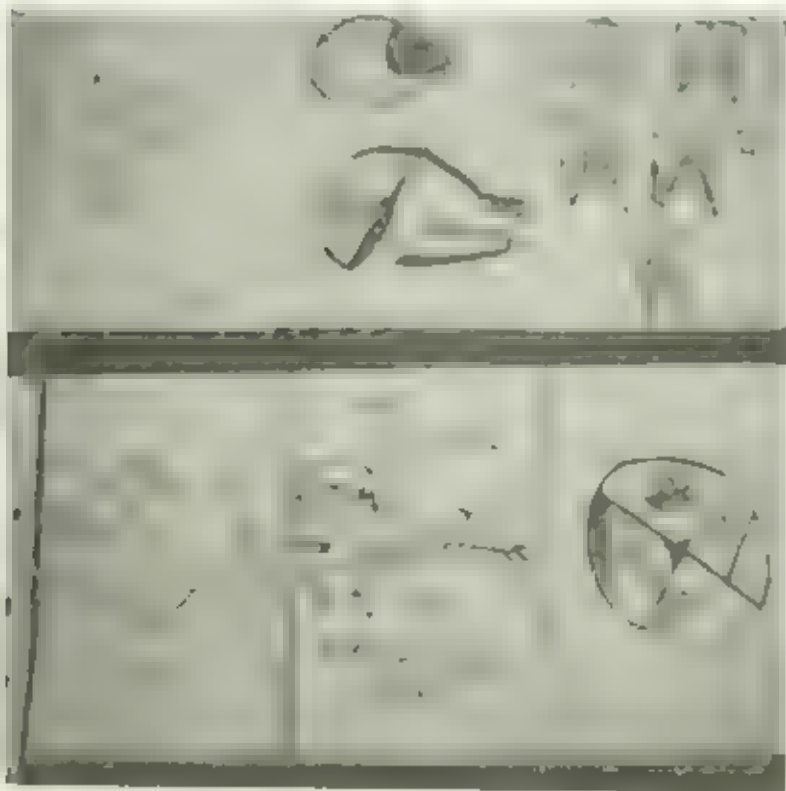
Second Grade Projects



Fifth Grade Art



First Grade Art



Fourth Grade Science



Third Grade Science

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Ouch! I burned myself



Hot Dog Parade



And let me tell you about



Let's go to the



I got it.



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Mrs. Mildred Bailey
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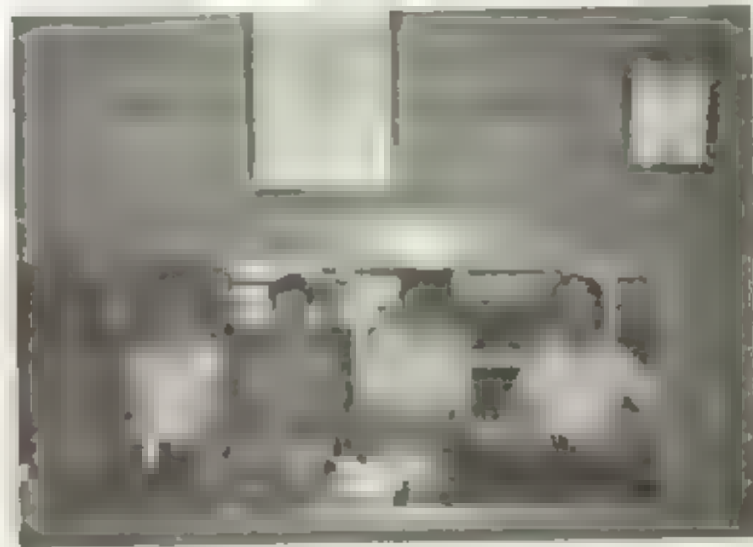
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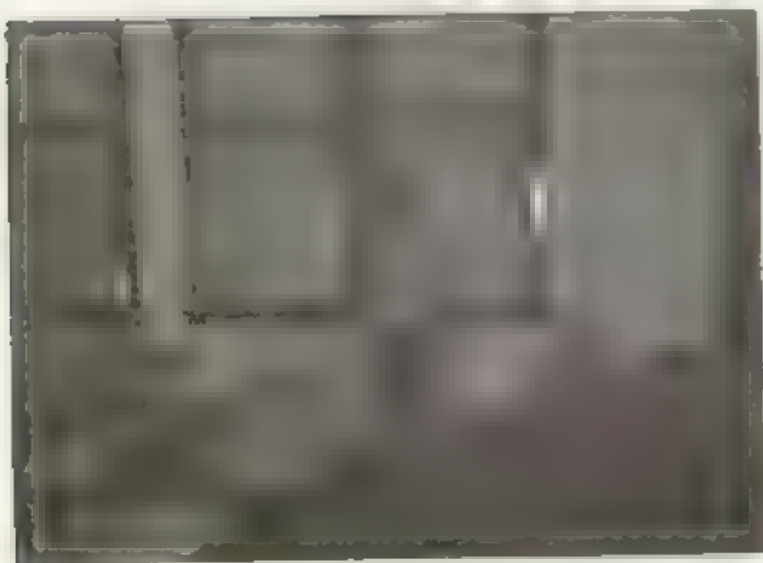
Mrs. Blanch Cline
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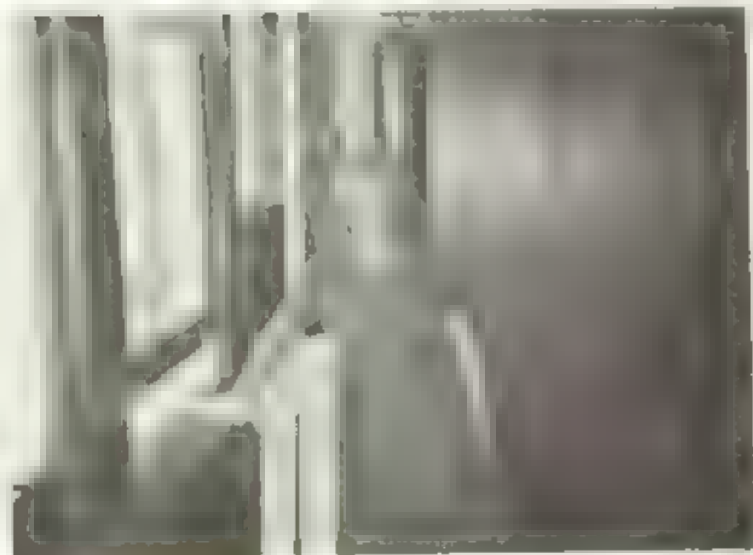
The cooks must eat too



STUDENT HELP Kristy Morgan, Carla Lankford, Mary
Connelly, Dianna Chambers



Leonard Hogan, Custodian



Mrs. Leonard Hogan, Leonard's Helper

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP



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infirmity, that I might do better things.

I asked for riches, that I might be happy - I was given
poverty, that I might be wise.

I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life— I was
given life, that I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for - but everything I had hoped for

Despite myself, my prayers were answered - I am among all men,
most richly blessed!

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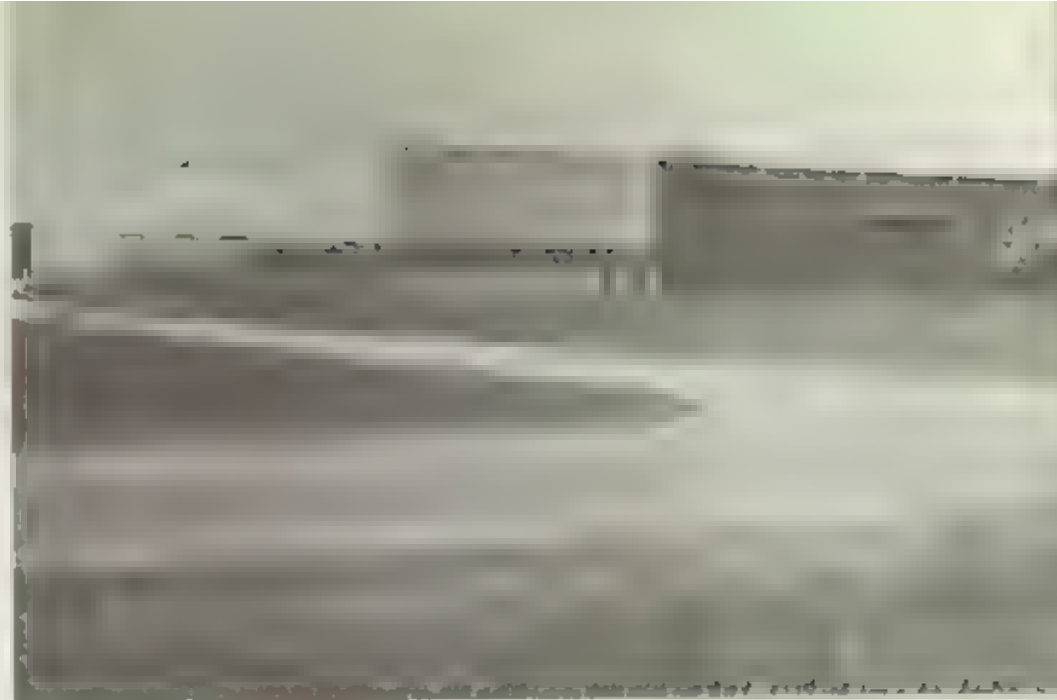
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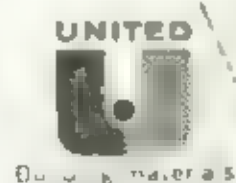
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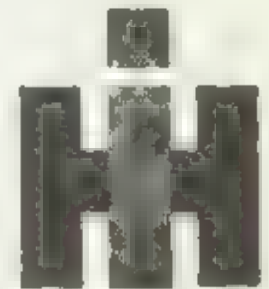
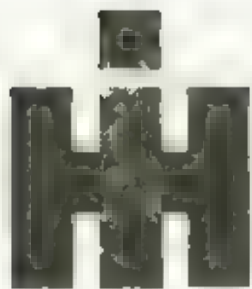
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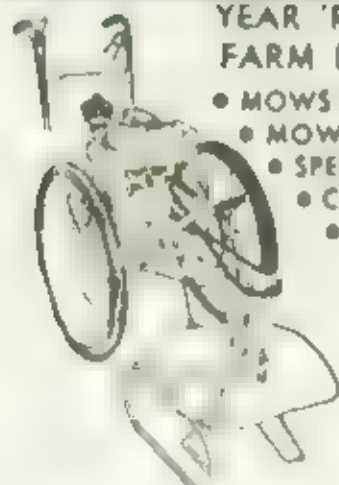
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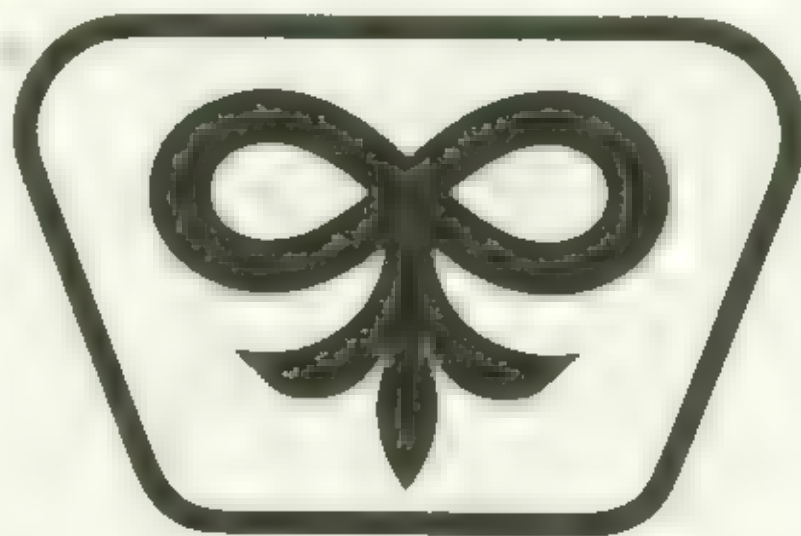
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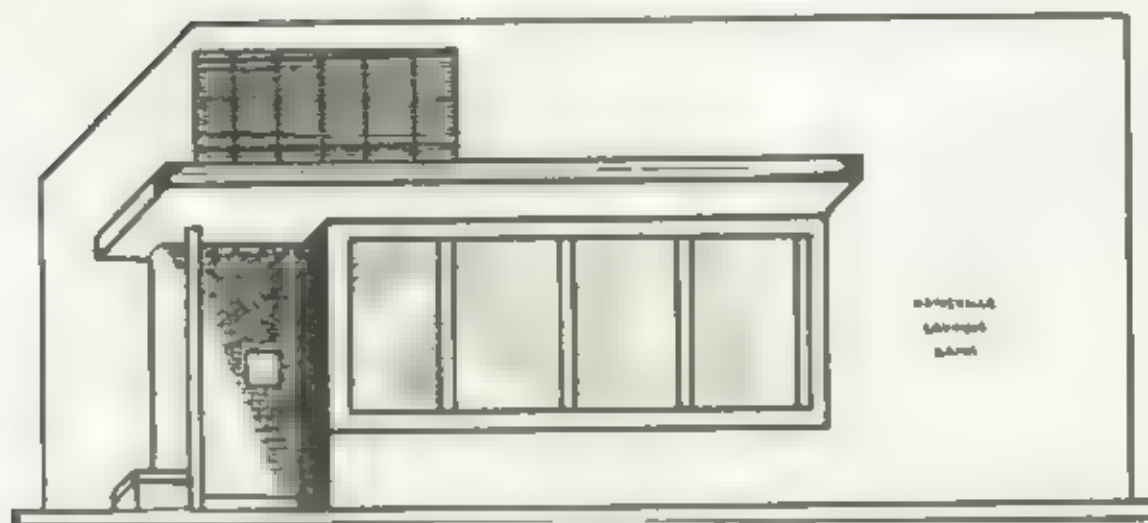
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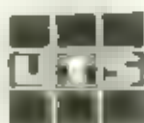
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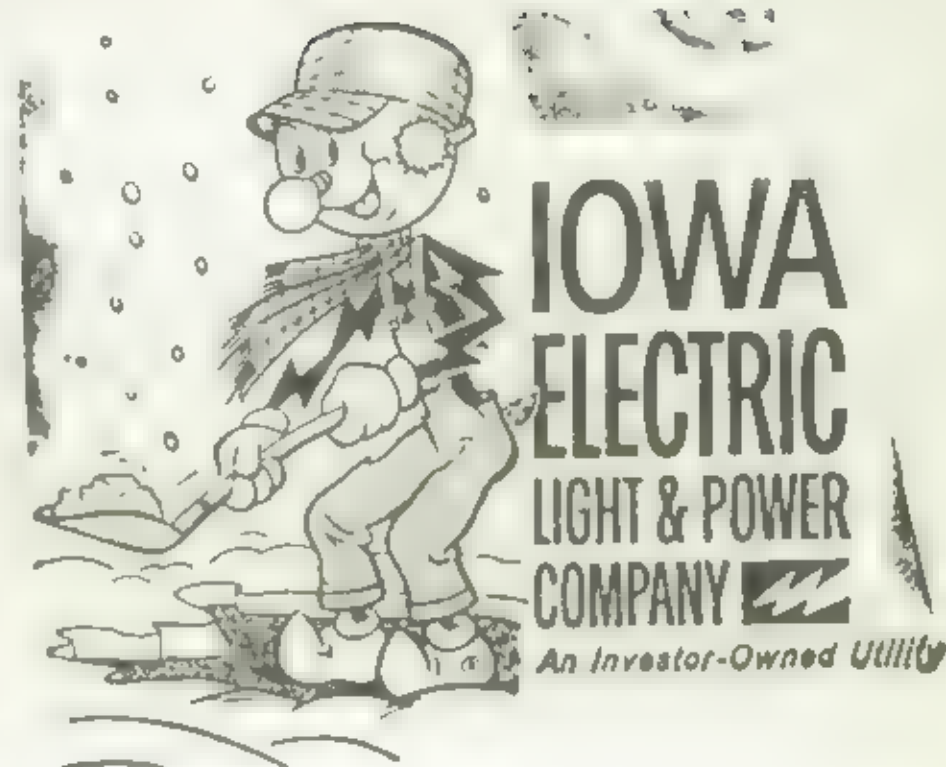
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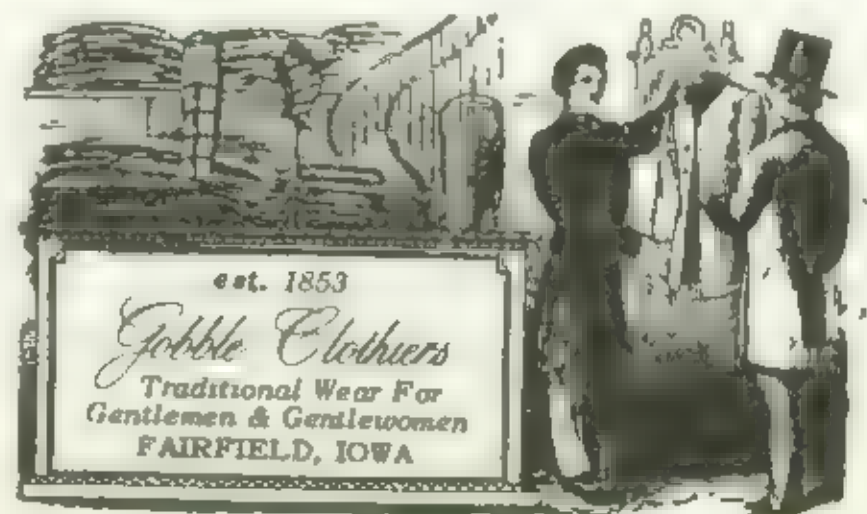
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Simmons, Simmons, & Simpson
Len's Yarn Shop
Coender's Flowers
Fritt's
Maid Rite
Hudgell and Evan's
Vet Clinic
George's Pizza
Ethel G. Sherman,
Personnel Consultant
Sears and Roebuck

OTTUMWA

Neiswanger's Cafe
Brown's Shoe Store
Niemeyer's
Dr. Albert B. Sodey
Podiatrist

O'Hara Hardware
St. Joseph School of Nursing
A & W Root Beer - N. Court
Ottumwa Beauty Academy
Allen's Book Store

South Side Drug
Seifert's
Katie's Bakery
Norton & Associates, Inc.
Madden's

HEDRICK

Kelley's Conoco Service

Jean's Variety Store
Dr. James Berry

Scott's Cafe

OLLIE

Terrell Hardware

Williams Insurance Agency

SIGOURNEY

Wayne Feed Supply Company

RICHLAND

Richland Post Office

Fritchen Farm Store

Bud Wallerich











